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NEWS SUMMARY

WASHINGTON.

H. O. Havemeyer, president of the sugar trust, testified before the senate sub-committee about the Cuban market and about his company's fight with the beet sugar men.—Page 7.

Among Pennsylvanians in Washington the gubernatorial booms of Brooke and Waller are most prominent.—Page 10.

The president ordered a court-martial of Maj. Glenn and others charged with administering the "water cure" in the Philippines.—Page 10.

FOREIGN.

The English government is asked to prevent the formation of the trans-Atlantic shipping combine.—Page 4.

Russian peasants devastate estates of noblemen, and many of the former are killed by conflict with soldiers.—Page 4.

Four hundred and sixteen people are killed by a tornado in India.—Page 4.

Imprisoned officers from the cruiser Chicago are pardoned by the king of Italy.—Page 2.

President-elect Palma is given an enthusiastic greeting in Santiago.—Page 2.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Dr. H. S. McConnell, candidate for state senator in Beaver county, has withdrawn at the request of Senator Quay, leaving a clear field to Samuel F. White.—Page 3.

Car shortage hinders coke shipments from the Connellsville region.—Page 3.

National guard encampment is to be held at Gettysburg.—Page 3.

Theodore Shaffer is re-elected president of the Amalgamated association.—Page 3.

LOCAL.

The Connellsville coke region has suffered great loss by reason of the freight congestion that has so handicapped business in this section the past six months. While the productive capacity of the Connellsville region has been increasing 100 per cent, in the same time the railroad facilities for hauling this increased business have only enlarged 25 per cent.—Page 1.

The Socialist Labor party of Pittsburgh celebrated its international holiday yesterday by a parade and mass meeting, which was addressed by Lucien Sanial, one of the most prominent workers in its circles.—Page 10.

Fred H. James, after kissing his wife and children, went upstairs in his home and shot himself, dying almost instantly.—Page 10.

Allegheny officers have arrested five men, two of whom are believed to have been implicated in Crafton and other robberies.—Page 1.

Supt. W. R. Woodford, who for six months has been in charge of 7,000 miles of Baltimore & Ohio tracks, with headquarters at Pittsburgh, has resigned and is succeeded by Louis G. Haas, who stands close to President Lorce.—Page 2.

Attorney General John P. Elkin is expected in Pittsburgh today to further his ambition to capture the Republican gubernatorial nomination. The work of ridding payrolls controlled by the "organization" of persons whose usefulness as party workers is questioned has commenced, and the assessment book is again going the rounds.—Page 1.

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Controller Larkin serves notice on Controller Brown that on and after May 10 indebtedness chargeable against the filtration appropriation can be incurred, and does this because of the uncertainties attending the proposed filtration plans and doubt as to the ultimate decision of the matter by councils. He is legally advised that under a decision of the United States courts there is now no authority for any expenditure for filtration purposes.—Page 1.

Many purchases of real estate in the East End by Pittsburg capitalists, including the Kelly and Fifth avenue extension, and the Pennsylvania railroad's Fifth avenue station extending toward Silver Lake, made within the past few days, are reported to have been made for the Pennsylvania railroad with a view to providing new freight terminals. The real object of President Cassatt's visit this week is said to have been the approving of these purchases.—Page 1.

Despite a falling off in prices for beef on the hoof, the prices asked by retailers of meat show no reduction. Retailers claim to have been misrepresented.—Page 14.

LEGAL.

Judge Hawkins decides Mrs. Mary Gwynne must account for an alleged gift to her by her husband before his death.—Page 14.

Felix Matheys asks damages from an insurance company for falsely imprisoning his wife and son on charge of conspiracy.—Page 14.

Mrs. Catherine Soffel heads the trial list prepared for next week's criminal court.—Page 14.

SOCIAL.

Mrs. Charles Arbuthnot and Mrs. J. Franklin Robinson gave a May day luncheon yesterday at "Old Orchard," their home in Fifth avenue.—Page 7.

The wedding of Miss Aimee Siousa Lambie, daughter of John S. Lambie, president of select council, and Dr. David R. Beggs took place last evening in the Eighth United Presbyterian church.—Page 7.

The Sewickley Woman's club held its annual election of officers yesterday.—Page 7.

Miss Lotta Bertalott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bertalott, and George S. Hornbake were married yesterday in the cathedral.—Page 7.

Hamilton Stewart gave a dinner last evening at the Brighton Country club for the members of the Mont Chateau club.—Page 7.

SPORTING.

The Pirates had an easy thing of it with the Cardinals and ran up the largest score of the season.—Page 8.

Mugsy McGraw excited the Baltimore cricket crowd and a riot was narrowly averted. Umpire Sheridan was roughly handled and a policeman injured.—Page 8.

The winners at Aqueduct yesterday were: Rough Rider, Warte Nicht, Cervera, Intrusive, Meistersinger and Tugal Boy.—Page 9.

The Nashville winners yesterday were: Crimean, Brulare, Erema, Ed Lawson, Pettie Shute and Staff.—Page 8.

FINANCIAL.

A flurry in call money to 15 per cent and the possibility exhibited in International Power caused uncertainty and confusion in Wall street.—Page 12.

Heavy wheat exports caused strength in the grain market yesterday. July wheat, corn, oats and provisions closed higher.—Page 12.

Pittsburgh bank exchanges for yesterday were $2,358,000 smaller than the same day last year.—Page 12.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday was dull and irregular in tone.—Page 12.

In a lecture Prof. Meade of the University of Pennsylvania attacked the credit of the United States Steel Corporation.—Page 12.

EAST END LAND IS BOUGHT FOR FREIGHT YARDS

Extensive Purchases Made During the Past Week Are in Behalf of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

PRESIDENT CASSATT'S VISIT HERE EXPLAINED

It was reported in railroad and real estate circles yesterday that officials of the Pennsylvania railroad have definitely decided on making additional improvements in Pittsburgh that will cost between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000, and there are good reasons for believing the report to be true.

It is said that a new freight terminal is to be built on the property now being acquired in the Twenty-first ward, concerning which an article appeared in The Gazette of yesterday. Already real estate men, said to be working for the Pennsylvania railroad, have spent over $500,000 for a solid block of land running from the Pennsylvania passenger station in Fifth avenue to Silver Lake. New freight yards in the East End have long been looked on as a necessity in order to relieve the congested conditions in the downtown section of Pittsburgh, especially as regards freight traffic.

The cost of the property needed for the new freight yards will be between $1,000,000 and $2,000,000 and it is stated the company will expend an additional $3,000,000 in making necessary improvements. When the new terminal is completed it will be one of the best owned by the Pennsylvania system.

President Cassatt's Visit Explained.

The real object of the visit of President A. J. Cassatt and other prominent officials of the Pennsylvania road to Pittsburgh this week is now apparently explained. An authoritative statement was made yesterday afternoon that the property purchased and optioned in the Twenty-first ward was approved by President Cassatt after a thorough inspection and investigation, and the real estate brokers in the employ of the railroad were yesterday notified to close up all options before they expire and purchase the property outright.

During President Cassatt's stay in Pittsburgh he personally inspected every foot of the ground. It was Wednesday afternoon when the inspection was made. The private car of President Cassatt was switched out at the Homewood station about 3 o'clock and the officials, trading carriages, were driven to the Fifth avenue station.

From there the party traversed the proposed route of the new tracks along Linden avenue. Then the officials were driven to Frankstown avenue and from there down the Beechwood boulevard to Silver Lake. A turn was made here and they were shown the proposed route from the Lincoln avenue bridge to the proposed connection with the railway tracks near the Brilliant pumping station.

Engineers Are Figuring.

Yesterday afternoon another inspection party, composed of a number of engineers, spent considerable time at Silver Lake inspecting the land there and figuring on connections with the Allegheny Valley tracks.

The real estate men taking the options and closing the sales were the busiest people in the East End yesterday. All along Linden avenue, Kelly street, Hamilton avenue and Frankstown avenue "to let" and "for sale" signs were torn from all the houses and lots optioned, and the agents worked hard to close up the deals.

Three sales of property were made on Linden avenue yesterday, and several more were reported on Kelly street and Hamilton avenue. Many of the tenants were notified to leave by August 1. Others were notified that possession would not be required until April 1 next. Not all of the tenants have been notified, but it is the intention of the real estate men to give such notification.

The securing of these new yards in the East End is said to be principally due to the energetic demands made by Robert Pitcairn, resident assistant to President Cassatt, for some relief for Pittsburgh shippers, who, for over six months, have been seriously hampered by reason of inadequate railroad facilities. Mr. Pitcairn has always looked upon the property now being purchased as the proper site for new yards, and has insisted to the higher officials on more than one occasion that it be purchased.

Mr. Pitcairn Was Insistent.

When the statement was given out last fall that the Pennsylvania would abandon the stock yards at East Liberty and remove them to Herrs island, the establishment of a new freight terminal was agitated by Mr. Pitcairn. The matter was taken up by the Pennsylvania officials, but nothing definite was then decided upon.

The severity of the freight congestion caused the officials to again take up the matter, and a week ago a corps of real estate brokers were called into a council and ordered to option all the property they could from the Fifth avenue passenger station of the Pennsylvania railroad to Silver Lake. In the district bounded as follows: From the Fifth avenue station to Hamilton avenue, from Hamilton avenue through to Frankstown avenue, and from Frankstown avenue to Silver Lake.

The distance from the Fifth avenue station to Silver Lake is said to be approximately 1,500 feet. The width of the block proposed to be purchased fronts about 450 feet on Hamilton avenue, 450 feet on Frankstown avenue and 300 feet from Linden avenue to the boulevard.

On this property are over 60 houses, the majority of them two and three-story bricks. The tract of land is traversed by four thoroughfares—Hamilton avenue, Kelly street, Formosa alley and Frankstown avenue.

Finley Property Not Optioned.

The only large piece of property between the Fifth avenue station and Silver Lake not optioned at present is the five-acre plot belonging to the estate of George Finley. No attempt has yet been made to option any part of the Finley property. It is valued at about $60,000. It was optioned for this price over a year ago. The piece of property directly opposite the Finley plot was sold last October to the East End Charity hospital for $30,000. This piece contained almost seven acres.

Of the 20 houses on the left hand side of Linden avenue, going toward the Lincoln avenue bridge, 17 have been sold in the past week. There are also on the same side of the street three vacant lots and all have been sold to real estate men for the Pennsylvania railroad. The houses in the row sold at prices ranging from $6,000 to $8,500; the lots were disposed of from $3,000 to $5,000.

On Frankstown avenue there remain three houses on the right hand side of the street to be purchased and two on the left. Four houses on the south side of the street were optioned on Wednesday for $40,000, or $10,000 apiece.

The property at Frankstown and Linden avenues is owned by H. B. Sweitzer, who on last Monday was offered $12,500 for his property, which he refused.

Most of the property in Hamilton avenue has been optioned, but there are several plots in this avenue and also in Kelly street and the agents are anxious to get.

Elevated Tracks Necessary.

In building tracks to Silver Lake the railroad company will be naturally compelled by the city to elevate the tracks where they cross streets. It is understood that the new yards will be connected with the tracks of the Allegheny Valley at Brilliant station. This will be a difficult proposition for the engineering department.

ANDREW CARNEGIE ABOARD THE ST. LOUIS READY TO SAIL FOR SCOTLAND.
This is the picture that Mr. Carnegie posed himself, with the newspaper "boys" about him. Then he told them about purchasing newspapers and giving them all fat jobs.

FIVE SUSPECTS ARRESTED FOR SAFE BLOWING

Allegheny Detectives Think They Have Captured Gang of Burglars Implicated in Millvale and Crafton Robberies.

FOUR ARE IDENTIFIED AS KNOWN THIEVES

Five men have been arrested in Allegheny in the past two days and locked up. Four of them are believed to be members of the gang which robbed the store of Daub & Pressler, in Crafton; the house of Gus Stitzer, on the Evergreen road; the Millvale toll house, and to have been engaged in other crimes committed recently in this vicinity. Two of the three men arrested in McKees Rocks on Wednesday, suspected of having a share in the Crafton robbery will be released this morning, as the detectives are satisfied of their innocence. It is also probable that one of the men arrested in Allegheny will be released, as he is not believed to be implicated in the gang's operations.

This morning the suspects will be photographed and committed to jail, until their records are thoroughly investigated. All of the men are said to have long criminal records, and the police are confident that they have the right men.

District Attorney John C. Haymaker is largely responsible for the activity of the Allegheny officials. After the Crafton robbery the district attorney called up Assistant Superintendent John Gleim and told him plainly that the men must and could be found—in Allegheny. The Pittsburgh police had stated frequently that there was an organized gang of burglars and thieves making their headquarters in Allegheny, and operating all over this vicinity.

Haymaker's Prompt Action.

By the action of the district attorney the Allegheny officials were aroused and immediately started to search for the men.

According to Superintendent of Police Henry Muth of Allegheny they are the same men who a short time ago terrorized Eastern Ohio by a series of daring burglaries. He says they were driven to this state by a recently passed Ohio law making burglary and safe-blowing crimes punishable by 20 years imprisonment. They naturally picked on Allegheny as headquarters because it is known all over the country as a place of safety for their ilk.

The names and records, so far as at present known, of the men arrested in Allegheny are:

Martin Griffin, alias Malody Griffin, alias Frank Hinnegan, 35 years old, of Buffalo, arrested by Detectives Johnson, Aiken, Einstein and O'Brien. Two clubs, containing nitroglycerin and machinery oil, and a revolver were found on his person. He said that he came from Wheeling on Saturday to visit a brother on the South Side. He asserted that he was stopping in Second avenue, Pittsburgh, but refused to indicate where. About six months ago he was released from the Columbus penitentiary. He was arrested in the park opposite Magini's cracker factory Wednesday night shortly after 9 o'clock.

All Had Revolvers.

Harry Kuntz, 20 years old, of Buffalo, was arrested by Detectives Johnson, Aiken and Einstein, while he was at work with Griffin. He also had a revolver in his possession.

David Brown, New York city, 32 years old, arrested yesterday morning at 9 o'clock by Detectives Johnson and Aiken in Federal street. He is in the last stages of consumption. Brown was identified last night as an old New York thief. He says he was on his way to Mt. Clemens when he was arrested.

Harry Kennedy, 21 years old, was arrested by Detectives Johnson and Aiken in Federal street. He says he is a drug clerk and lives in Buffalo.

Frank Kennedy, 20 years old, a brother of Harry, was arrested with Harry. He says he is a bartender and that he came from Buffalo. Revolvers were found on all of the men.

The case will be turned over to County Detective Robert G. Robinson. Griffin, Kuntz and the Kennedys have been identified by two street car conductors, who carried them from Crafton on Wednesday morning. They rode in two different cars.

The men are all desperate looking. They have the characteristics of thieves. They conversed in the slang known only to the fraternity of the "under world," while they were in their cells in the Allegheny police station.

Brown to Be Released.

Superintendent Muth was somewhat anxious about the keeping of the men last night, and detailed two detectives to remain at the station house all night, fearing some movement on the part of the burglars. He said that in all probability Brown would be released, as he believed he was not connected with the gang.

Joseph Sullivan, who was arrested in McKees Rocks on Wednesday as one of the Crafton burglars, was identified last night at the Allegheny county jail as John Sloan. Alonzo Black and Edward Lawson, also arrested as robbery suspects, will be released from the county jail this morning, as they have been identified as glass workers by the union associations.

The two Crafton officers [illegible] the gang are doing well as [illegible] pected. Dr. I. B. Reed [illegible] that the officers would not [illegible] pear at the hearing [illegible] day. Officer Peak[illegible] danger of inflam[illegible] Westcott's wound exte[illegible] from the thigh to the back of the groin, and is still in a dangerous condition.

FREIGHT CONGESTION GAVE COKE TRADE A HEAVY BLOW

Gain in Connellsville Production of 100 Per Cent Met by Only 25 Per Cent Increase in Railroad Facilities.

The very source of vitality of the Pittsburgh industrial region lies in its fuel beds. Without coal and coke, furnaces, mills, factories and even the railroads themselves would be helpless. Nowhere has the freight congestion been more severely felt than in the Connellsville coke region. No part of the Pittsburgh field has been more neglected by the railroads. By the expenditure of much effort The Gazette is able to give some comparative statistics concerning the Connellsville coke and Westmoreland coal region.

The Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston road, or Monongahela division of the Pennsylvania, was the last railroad constructed into the Connellsville region. It was completed in 1885. Fortunately quite complete statistics of the coking industry are published every week.

Heavy Handicap on Coke.

Careful inquiry has developed the fact that less coke was shipped out of the Connellsville region last month than during April, 1900, though practically 50 per cent more was offered to the railroads than they could handle. In April, 1885, there were, in round numbers, 10,500 coke ovens in the Connellsville region, which, at an average of two tons each, represented a productive capacity of 21,000 tons of coke daily. In April, 1902, there were about 21,000 ovens in the old Connellsville district and 3,200 ovens in the new "Lower Connellsville" district, representing a capacity of 49,254 tons daily. In round numbers this means 18,000,000 tons a year.

During 1901 the shipments were about 1,800 tons less than was offered. During the first three months of this year the shortage of movement amounts to nearly 500,000 tons. Everybody knows there is demand for more Connellsville coke than can be produced at the present moment, though a considerable trade has been lost through the inability of producers to fill orders, the railroads being responsible for that inability.

Production Greatly Increased.

The gain in productive capacity in the coke region since 1885 is more than 100 per cent. The gain in railroad facilities has not been 25 per cent. The only new rail line opened during that period is the Baltimore & Ohio branch to Morgantown, Fairmont and Clarksburg. It has been principally notable for the coal and coke it has vomited out upon the single track between the Connellsville district and Pittsburgh, adding to the congestion where it is most acute.

Figures hardly less significant than those representing ovens and capacity are the population statistics of the portions of Fayette and Westmoreland counties where the coal and coke are produced. Approximately the population of this district was 95,000 in 1880; 150,000 in 1890 and 210,000 in 1900. It is somewhat more now. Taking the average of 1880 and 1890 to nearly represent 1885, we have 122,500 as against 210,000, an increase of 87,500 in 15 years. This is an increase of more than 60 per cent in population, as compared with the possible 25 per cent increase in railroad facilities.

Furnaces Suffer from Shortage.

Following the shortage of coke shipments out into the world it has been definitely learned that at least 25 furnaces have been banked at various times during the first three months of this year for want of coke, and a dozen have remained blown out and idle for the same cause. Furnaces in the east have done the best they could with anthracite coal, though they could have done better with coke, and those in the west have made out in a way with coke from every available source. At Chicago they have been getting supplies from the Virginias, where the congestion is far less serious than in the vicinity of Pittsburgh.

In addition to furnaces The Gazette advices report hundreds of foundries and factories shut down all or a part of the time during the past six months because they could not obtain the coal and coke the Pittsburgh district was so willing to furnish. Many of these concerns could run a week or more on a single car of fuel, but they have not been able to get even that small demand supplied. Present orders are more than 2,000 cars behind.

Conway Yards Blockaded.

Within a week past the Conway yards of the Pennsylvania lines have been blockaded so that coal and coke shipments, as well as steel, have been diverted by way of Buffalo, and within the same time the Baltimore & Ohio has been seriously congested. Conditions during April were slightly better than in the winter months, but the facts stated above make it very apparent that Pittsburgh is not yet out of the woods, or at least it is not out in the open on the freight question.

The furnaces and mills of the Illinois Steel Company at Chicago are running from hand to mouth. That is, they depend upon the supply of material received today to keep them in operation tomorrow. Even a serious freight train wreck might serve to compel them to shut down. That is a very unsatisfactory way to run, as everybody knows, with no assurance that orders can be met. The Illinois company is not hampered by shortage of other materials as those of the Pittsburgh district are.

Enormous Losses in This District.

It is a simple matter to compute the loss to the coke companies upon the more than 2,000,000 tons of coke they have had orders for, but could not deliver on account of the lack of transportation, but it is not so easy to estimate the loss of business by the diversion of consumers to oil or other fuels. It is plain, however, that the addition of the coke region brings the total annual loss of the Pittsburgh district well up toward the $20,000,000 mark, and the story has not all been told.

Speaking about the matter yesterday the vice president of a Pittsburgh corporation, whose shipping business runs above thousands of tons annually, said: "Please make it plain that this trouble has not been caused by a shortage of cars, but by a lack of movement. Our shipments to Chicago have been on the road six weeks, instead of the six days that would be reasonable speed. The yards are full of cars, our sidings are full of cars, but there is and has been a shortage of motive power, trackage and terminal facilities. There is no way to avoid that conclusion."

SUPT. WOODFORD TELLS WHAT B. & O. IS DOING

Exertions Being Put Forth to Meet All Requirements and Conditions Are Improved.

The question of what the railroads are doing to relieve the freight congestion has been answered in behalf of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie by Col. J. M. Schoonmaker, whose line is short and deals with a comparatively simple problem in a straight haul. But the public in interested in what others have to say.

Mr. E. H. Utley, general manager of the Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Erie, said: "Our line can hardly be considered in this discussion. We operate a short road, with a straight haul between two points, for the most part, and have no ramifications. We have had no congestion on account of those peculiar conditions."

General Supt. Woodford of the Baltimore & Ohio said: "We are in much better condition than we were during the fall and winter. We are exerting ourselves to meet all requirements. Our principal improvements are increase of motive power, multiplication of passing sidings and enlargement of repair shops to keep our equipment in good condition. We are greatly enlarging our shops at Glenwood and New Castle. We will receive 50 new locomotives and 5,000 cars about midsummer. We are laying many miles of passing sidings to facilitate the movement of trains and hope to be able soon to care fully for our patrons."

WESTMORELAND HARMONY SLATE OF DELEGATES

Friends of John P. Elkin and M. S. Quay Are Evenly Divided.

COL. HUFF TO DIRECT THE DELEGATION

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Greensburg, Pa., May 1.—Harmony in Westmoreland on the question of state delegates is probable. A slate has been made up that is said to be satisfactory to all parties concerned. The delegates will not be instructed, but will go to Harrisburg under direction of Col. George F. Huff.

There are eight delegates. Four men on the slate are supposed to be friends of Quay and the other four are looked upon as supporters of Elkin. This is the list: David Carle, Jeannette; Harry Rhinehart, Monessen; William H. Richards, New Kensington; R. C. McClelland, Vandergrift; James Dunn, Latrobe; Joseph A. McCurdy, Greensburg; Charles Loucks, Scottdale; John D. Hitchman, Mt. Pleasant.

It was learned that at the conference where the delegates were selected James S. Beacom was not present. Whether he was represented or will acquiesce in the selection is not known. It is insisted by a number of the leaders that the men named above are the ones who will be elected state delegates. The action is said to be in the interest of harmony.

In the state convention the list of counties is called in alphabetical order. This places Westmoreland near the foot. In all probability a nomination will be made before Westmoreland is called. In case the winner has not been selected it is likely that four of the eight votes will be cast for Elkin.

Col. Huff is to have full charge, and as there will be no instructions the responsibility will rest upon him. As the colonel is desirous of representing the Butler-Westmoreland congressional district he will no doubt favor the gubernatorial candidate that has the most promise of success in the fall.

Exposition Will Be Postponed.

ST. LOUIS, May 1.—(Special.)—President David R. Francis of the Louisiana Purchase exposition this afternoon notified President Carter of the national commission that any action congress might take to postpone the date of the exposition would be acceptable to the directors. This action was taken after obtaining a unanimous consent from the directors. It is probable that the exposition will be postponed until 1904.

Speaker Henderson Renominated.

DES MOINES, IA., May 1.—Congressman D. B. Henderson, speaker of the house of representatives, was renominated for the 11th successive time at the Third district convention in Waterloo today.

FILTRATION WORK IS HALTED BY CONTROLLER LARKIN

Recorder Brown Is Informed That Because of Uncertainties Attending Scheme All Outlay Must Stop.

Controller John B. Larkin yesterday notified Recorder J. O. Brown that after May 10 all expenditures from the filtration fund must cease. This means that Resident Engineer Morris Knowles and Consulting Engineer Allen Hazen must halt, and that all work being done at the filtration plant site in O'Hara township must cease. It effectually puts an end to the filtration plans of the city administration until councils take further action. Recorder Brown at once notified Director J. Guy McCandless of the action of the controller.

Controller Larkin has had this move in mind for some time, but waited until fully advised as to the legality of his position. His letter to Recorder Brown was as follows:

Hon. J. O. Brown, City Recorder.

Dear Sir: In view of the uncertainties attending the proposed filtration of water, and the doubt as to the ultimate disposition of the matter of councils, this department desires to notify you that on and after May 10 no indebtedness against that appropriation, for any purpose, except for labor or supplies previously furnished, should be incurred, as under the decision of the court there is now no authority for any expenditure for filtration purposes.

On March 3, 1900, the filtration fund had to its credit $2,510,093 04, including premium on bonds, $168,644 71, of which have since been expended in the purchase of lands, supplies and preparatory labor and in sundries since January 1 of this year, $6,169 19. As it is now more than two years since this money was available, and the prospect of water filtration plans outlined seems remote, a careful husbanding of the money voted for that purpose is judicious, compared with a policy that must soon honeycomb the entire appropriation and render a second issue of bonds necessary.

An estimate of the whole cost, as the law requires, should cover everything properly chargeable to that work; therefore, all outlay must, for the present, be suspended. I have the honor to be yours respectfully,

JOHN. B. LARKIN, City Controller.

All Filtration Work to Stop.

This means the abandonment of all work looking toward filtration. It stops the expert engineers, the surveyors and those who are working on detailed plans and detailed estimates. It puts the matter up to councils, which now has the total estimate furnished by Director McCandless, and the ordinances authorizing the award of the contract.

Director McCandless refused to say yesterday what he would do. He said, however, that he realized the futility of asking men to work when there is no money in sight. He added: "I suppose this order will stop everything. Engineers Morris Knowles and Allen Hazen, however, were employed under special ordinances which authorized their employment and fixed the salaries at $4,000 per annum. I cannot understand how the city can get out of paying these men, as they practically have contracts with the city.

"I have sent to councils an approximate estimate of the total cost, but Messrs. Knowles and Hazen have been working on the detailed estimate and the detailed plans, and it seems this work must now stop."

Controller Larkin had nothing to add in the way of a statement to the letter he sent the recorder, considering that self-explanatory. Regarding the contracts with Engineers Hazen and Knowles, Mr. Larkin said he had considered that matter, but had not deemed it a bar to the action he has taken.

Good Pay for Engineers.

Under the contract with the city Engineer Hazen gets $4,000 a year or $40 per diem, and the city cannot require him to be here more than 100 days each year. Every additional day he is engaged here is to be paid for at the rate of $25 a day. Engineer Knowles gets $4,000 a year and is required to devote his entire time to his work for the city. The office of the filtration engineer was recently removed from the Municipal hall to the filtration plant site in O'Hara township, where work has been constantly going on. Mr. Knowles has had a large force of men working there.

The city administration, fearing some such action might be taken by the controller, tried to evade it by planning a filtration bureau, into which all the filtration work was to be thrown. An ordinance for a filtration bureau was introduced at the first meeting of the new councils, along with the estimate of the total cost of the plant and the ordinances authorizing the award of a contract. These were all referred to the committee on filtration. The committee, however, postponed action on them.

Pay Roll Places Made Vacant.

The monthly pay roll of the filtration workmen is over $12,000 and the order of the controller throws 23 men off the city pay roll. The employes who lose their positions and their salaries per annum are as follows: Consulting Engineer Allen Hazen, $4,000; Resident Engineer Morris Knowles, $4,000; Assistant Engineers W. S. Wakefield, $2,000, E. O. Manahan, $2,000, A. H. Dennett, $1,800, Frans Engstrom, $1,800, M. A. Tinney, $1,200; Draughtsmen E. D. Harshberger, $1,200, F. Lichenstein, $1,200, J. W. Griswold, $900, J. M. Rice, $840, P. R. Keller, $840; Transitmen M. M. Mannassee, $900, R. J. D. Knox, $900, D. H. Boyd, $900; Rodmen John A. Meroney, $720, M. M. Smiley, $720; Chainman J. W. Johnson, $900; Chief Clerk J. F. Mooney, $900; Stenographer W. C. Boler, $720; Janitor John Stevenson, $080; Messenger F. L. Thompson, $240. The pay roll of the filtration project last month was $2,063 76.

The city has already paid over $200,000 for land for a site and is condemning property that will cost as much more. Mr. Hazen has been on salary for two years, Mr. Knowles for a year, and the force of men named above has been working for several months.

Sentiment of New Councils.

The sentiment of the new councils, so far as the members have gone on record, is undoubtedly against filtration at the present estimate. Many are against sand filtration at all, a respectable minority favoring mechanical filtration, and others have committed themselves to the idea of getting a pure water supply from pure water sources inland.

Attorney W. B. Rodgers, when asked for an opinion as to Mr. Larkin's proceeding, said: "If in Mr. Larkin's judgment the city money is being expended for an unauthorized purpose he has a perfect right to refuse to pay the money, as he has in this case."

Mr. Rodgers was asked about the contract with Allen Hazen, the filtration expert. "If the city has a contract with Mr. Hazen, then I should say that the contract will have to be carried out, if Mr. Hazen insists upon it," he replied.

KNOX IN EARNEST.

New York Republican Club Committeeman Who Is Fighting Beef Trust Convinced of Fact.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—(Special.)—Alfred L. M. Bullowa, chairman of the committee of the Republican Club of New York has given out a typewritten statement detailing his interview with Attorney General Knox, which says:

"The attorney general was very much interested and is very much in earnest in the prosecution of the beef trust investigation. He invited the committee to send in any evidence it has collected. He added that he would be glad to receive evidence from any private citizen as well."

Mr. Bullowa said that while the beef men assert the present high prices are due to the shortage of cattle, his committee sought to obtain definite pledges that on no account will any unwarranted rise in prices take place pending test actions brought by the government, and that the United States district attorney at Chicago might be assisted by the beef men in bringing the matter before the federal courts of Chicago as expeditiously as possible.

TORNADO IN IOWA.

A Cyclone Destroys Many Buildings and Several People Killed or Injured.

DES MOINES, IA., May 1.—A tornado struck Bayard, Ia., early tonight. Two elevators, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad station and a number of dwelling houses were destroyed. The agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad is missing, and is supposed to have been killed or injured. Telegraph communication with Bayard was paralyzed by the storm. Details of the disaster are difficult to obtain.

At Van Wert a funnel-shaped cloud dropped down on the town. Then high wind blew down houses and barns and uprooted large trees. Several people were reported injured, but none killed.

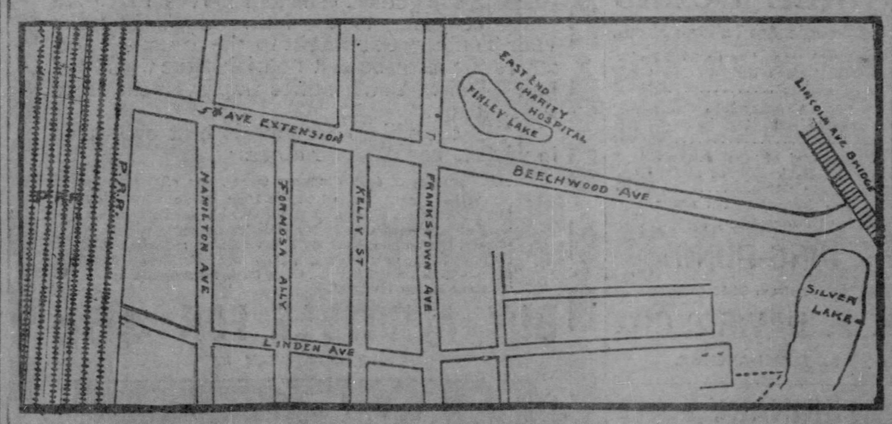
At Weldon a farmhouse was blown down and three children were injured. The tornado was seen from the town of Leroy, but that town was not in its path. All the towns mentioned are in Decatur county.

DEWEY OBSERVES DEWEY DAY.

Assisted by Coghlan and Other Officers in the Famous Battle.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—The fourth anniversary of the battle of Manila bay was celebrated tonight by a dinner at the Raleigh hotel by the officers in the city who participated in the engagement. They included Admiral Dewey, Rear Admirals Coghlan and Wainwright, Capts. Ford and Lamberton, Paymaster Galt, Lieut. Commander Bagley and Ransom, Commanders Rees and Inch, Lieuts. McCrea, Gibson and Mr. Stickney.

MAP OF EAST END SECTION WHERE MANY PROPERTIES HAVE RECENTLY BEEN PURCHASED.



This map shows the outlines of the Twenty-first ward property said to have been acquired by the Pennsylvania railroad for freight yard purposes. The plot extends from the Pennsylvania tracks to Silver lake, and from Linden avenue to the Fifth avenue extension and Beechwood avenue. The frontage in Linden and Frankstown avenues is nearly all improved with new houses costing from $3,000 to $5,000. The boulevard frontage and the property near the railroad are vacant. The plot outlined is valued at $1,000,000 and over $500,000 has already been invested in real estate purchases.

SUPT. WOODFORD RESIGNED PLACE WITH B. & O.

Well-Known Railroader After Many Years' Activity to Take a Rest.

L. G. HAAS HIS SUCCESSOR

New Superintendent Has Always Been Close to President Loree and Is Accounted a Most Capable Man. 1,600 Miles of Road to Supervise.

Walter R. Woodford, superintendent of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Pittsburgh, has resigned, and his resignation has been accepted, taking effect yesterday. His successor is Louis G. Haas. Mr. Woodford succeeded D. F. Maroney, who went to Baltimore in November last year. He came from the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling road, of which he was formerly presi-

W. R. WOODFORD, Well-Known Railroader, Who Has Resigned the Office of Baltimore & Ohio Superintendent at Pittsburgh.

dent and general manager. Previous to this he was for 15 years with the Wheeling & Lake Erie, one-half of the time as general superintendent. He was born in Dunkirk, N. Y., in 1857, and has been connected with railroads since 1872.

Mr. Haas is one of President Loree's men. He was born in 1865 and entered the railroad service as a chain man on the construction work of the Cincinnati & Richmond railroad. Two years later he was assistant in the maintenance of way corps of the Chicago, St. Louis & Pittsburgh, located at Logansport, Ind. From [illegible] Pittsburg. For a year [illegible] engineer of the Newport [illegible] and was then [illegible] Lyne for two months [illegible] as engineer of maintenance of the Toledo division, [illegible] then spent two and one-half years in a similar position on the Erie & Ashtabula, with headquarters at New Castle, when he was made superintendent. This position he was kept in until he was appointed assistant to General Manager George L. Potter at Baltimore last June.

W. R. Woodford stated last night that he had resigned his position with the Baltimore & Ohio intending to quit railroading for good and enter into other business. He said that he would retain his position as vice president of the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling road, but would not accept another executive position in the railroad service.

He said he was not ready to discuss his plans for the future, but he intended to take a vacation until June and was planning a short trip to Europe. He said he had had but one vacation during all the years he was engaged in the railroad service.

Mr. Woodford added that his relations with the Baltimore & Ohio were always of a pleasant character and that he had resigned because the work was too laborious. He said he would still reside in Pittsburgh.

Mr. Woodford began his career as a clerk on the Great Western line in Canada. Later he was employed for several years on the Michigan Central in various clerical capacities. He left to go to the Fort Wayne & Jackson road, where he served four years as purchasing agent. He was with the Wheeling & Lake Erie as assistant general manager from 1882 to 1886. He was then promoted to general superintendent, which position he held until 1895, when he resigned to become general manager of the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling road. In 1899 he was made president of that road. The Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling was then bought by the Baltimore & Ohio, and in August, 1901, Mr. Woodford became vice president and general manager of the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling.

Last November the office of general manager of the Cleveland, Lorain & [illegible] was abolished and Mr. Woodford [illegible] elected general superintendent [illegible]ville, Pittsburgh, Newark [illegible] divisions of the Baltimore & Ohio, his last position Mr. Woodford has had charge of 1,600 miles of railroad, a portion of the busiest section of the [illegible] & Ohio.

GERMAN IRON COMBINE.

Proposed Measure to Meet the "American Invasion."

BERLIN, May 1.—(Copyright Cable.)—German cast iron works and foundries are preparing to form a combination which will embrace all the leading plants of the empire. The negotiations have progressed so far that an agreement already has been drawn up and signed by most of the concerns, not including the Union foundry and several of the large works which will, it is expected, be obliged to enter the combination.

There will be no transfer of capital, but the main purpose will be to do away with competition and defend the industry against the "American invasion" and other rivalling interests and to increase exports.

AMERICANS INVADING CHINA.

Count Von Waldersee Says United States Is Becoming Powerful.

BERLIN, May 1.—"American energy and American millions are making themselves felt in China more and more powerfully," said Count von Waldersee, in an interview at Dresden, where he is visiting the king of Saxony.

"We have come into closer political touch with the United States, and that country will exercise a favorable influence in the world's politics."

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

—"The Liberty Belles," 8:15 p. m.
—Stock Company in "The House That Jack Built," 2 and 8 p. m.
—Barney Gilmore in "Kidnaped in New York," 8:15 p. m.
—"On the Suwanee River," 8:15 p. m.
—Vaudeville, 8:15 p. m.
—Utopian Burlesque Co., 2 and 8 p. m.
—CONCERT—Pittsburgh Orchestra, 8:15 p. m.

WEALTHY GERMAN HAS DISAPPEARED

WROTE TO HIS FIANCEE SAYING HE WOULD KILL HIMSELF.

He Claimed to Be the Brother of Baroness von Bergen, Who Lives Near Hamburg—Had Been Staying at Johnson City, Tenn.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

JOHNSON CITY, TENN., May 1.—Conrad Lueder, who claimed to be a brother of Baroness E. von Bergen of Germany, has mysteriously disappeared, leaving letters stating that he would commit suicide.

Lueder spent several months in Johnson City and his engagement to a young lady here has been announced. He lived in luxuriant style. He was seen for the last time Tuesday night, but Wednesday's mail brought letters removing the idea of foul play. He wrote three, one to his fiancee, in which he stated that he intended to drown himself in Lake Watauga, near Johnson City.

He gave the address of his sister as Baroness E. von Bergen, Uhlenharst, Hamburg, Germany.

FOR ENTERTAINMENT OF THE BOTANISTS

Preliminary Arrangements Made for Meeting of American Association of Botanists.

The preliminary arrangements for the entertainment of the members of the American Association of Botanists, who hold their annual convention in Pittsburgh, June 28-July 3, were made last night by the Botanical Society of Western Pennsylvania, which met at the Carnegie Institute.

The following committee on entertainment was appointed: Dr. Adolph Koenig, Prof. Edward Rymerason, Judge J. D. Shafer, James J. Booth, Prof. H. Patterson, N. W. Miller, J. A. Shafer, Miss M. A. Deans, Miss M. E. Lewis and Miss Jennie Goss.

Between 600 and 1,000 botanists are expected to attend. It was decided to give the visitors an all-day excursion to Buffalo Creek, above Freeport, and frequent short trips out of the city.

Arbor day will be celebrated today by the first year pupils of the Central High school. Seventeen trees will be planted in Columbus grove, Schenley park.

Ten buckeye trees will be planted by the ten classes from the Central High school, three elms by the three Normal school classes, and four tulip trees by the South Side High school classes.

The Phipps hall of botany will be thrown open on this occasion, although the formal opening will not take place until fall.

AMERICAN OFFICERS PARDONED BY KING

Men from Cruiser Chicago Imprisoned at Venice Are Released.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ROME, May 1.—The king has pardoned the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago imprisoned at Venice. They were immediately handed over to the United States consul, from whose charge they will be transferred to the Chicago, which is ready to sail. The men are Capt. Robert F. Wynne, Lieut. John S. Doddridge, Surgeon Ledbetter, Sergt. Kress and a marine.

United States Ambassador Meyer conferred this morning with Signor Prinetti, the foreign minister, and it was arranged that the officers be released, conditioned upon the payment of civil damages amounting to $2,000.

VENICE, May 1.—The American officers this afternoon indemnified the parties claiming damages for injury.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—(Special.)—Secretary Hay was advised today by Ambassador Meyer that, as an act of grace, the Italian government has consented to release the officers and men of the Chicago.

THE WEATHER.

Another day of continued warmth and sunshine is promised by the weather bureau. Old Sol is to exhibit a countenance wreathed in torrid smiles, and fanned by softest and balmiest of May breezes. No caution is sent out regarding possible showers, and it must be presumed that there will be none of April's tardy rains hanging around in this vicinity.

Fair.

Jupiter Pluvius evidently balanced up the month's accounts on Tuesday, as we have nothing coming from him. It is to be hoped that this is not another false start and that warmth and sunshine are here to stay—but low-cut shoes and cobweb shirtwaists, although pleasant, are not exactly justified yet.

Time of sunrise today..... 5:00 a. m.
Time of sunset today..... 6:54 p. m.

Daily report of yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	30.28	51	71	N.E.	Clear
8 p. m....	30.12	68	41	S.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for the past six years:

Temperature.	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	80	71	85	81	69	75
Minimum	65	46	67	53	43	57
Mean	72	58	76	67	56	66
Precipitation	0	0	.18	0	.94	.01

Maximum temperature (4 p. m.).....	70
Minimum temperature (7 a. m.).....	48
Mean temperature.....	59
Normal temperature (for 31 years).....	56
Excess in temperature for the day.....	3
Excess in temperature since May 1.....	3
Deficiency in temperature since Jan. 1.....	43
Normal precipitation (for 31 years).....	.11
Precipitation for the day.....	0
Deficiency in precipitation for the day.....	.11
Deficiency in precipitation since May 1.....	.11
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1.....	1.82

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—Forecast for Friday and Saturday:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair, warmer Friday; fresh to brisk south winds; Saturday fair.

Ohio—Partly cloudy Friday, warmer in northern portion; brisk east to south winds; Saturday fair.

West Virginia—Fair, warmer Friday; Saturday fair, north winds becoming variable.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Pittsburgh	66	Clear	El. Paso	84	Cloudy
Washing'tn	68	Clear	Abilene	86	Cloudy
Cincinnati	76	Clear	Kansas City	80	Pt.cldy
Indianap'lis	72	Cloudy	Oklahoma	82	Clear
Columbus	68	Clear	Marquette	40	Pt.cldy
Parkersb'g	68	Clear	Huron	62	Clear
Philadelp'a	62	Clear	St. Paul	64	Cloudy
New York	60	Clear	Bismarck	44	Cloudy
Buffalo	50	Clear	Norfolk	62	Clear
Cleveland	48	Clear	Jacksonville	76	Clear
G'd Haven	60	Cloudy	Omaha	82	Clear
Chicago	58	Rain	Cheyenne	66	Clear
Louisville	76	Clear	Salt Lake	60	Clear
Vicksburg	80	Pt.cldy	Denver	76	Clear
N. Orleans	76	Clear	North Platte	70	Clear
Memphis	76	Pt.cldy	Rapid City	54	Clear
Cairo	76	Pt.cldy	Helena	48	Pt.cldy
St. Louis	78	Clear	Qu Appele	46	Cloudy

Headache

Biliousness, sour stomach, constipation and all liver ills are cured by

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SANTIAGO GIVES WARM WELCOME TO SENOR PALMA

First President of Cuba Is Greeted by Enthusiastic Thousands.

AMERICAN TROOPS IN LINE

The Chief of the New Republic Placed Floral Wreaths on the Graves of Virginius Martyrs and Visited San Juan Battlefield.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Santiago, Cuba, May 1.—The president-elect of Cuba, Senor Estrada Palma, and his party, arrived here today from Manzanilla. Brig.-Gen. Samuel M. Whitside, the commander of the department of Santiago, sent his aide-de-camp, Lieut. Henry C. Whitehead of the Tenth cavalry to Manzanilla to meet Senor Palma, and ordered a squadron of cavalry and a battery of artillery, headed by a band of music, to form the official escort of the president-elect on his landing here.

About 40,000 people were packed in the narrow streets of this city when Senor Palma arrived and the crowds were so dense at certain points that they obstructed the procession, which was increased by mounted delegations from all parts of the province until it was miles long. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed.

Senor Palma was escorted to the palace, where he held a public reception during the forenoon lasting several hours. So numerous were the people who were eager to shake hands with the president-elect that he became exhausted and retired from the hall slightly indisposed.

After taking lunch with Mayor Bacardi, Senor Palma visited San Juan hill and inspected the sanitary department. Senor Palma was greatly pleased with the reception accorded him by the American troops, who paid him all the honors due to a president of the republic.

The president-elect showed remarkable energy. This afternoon he inspected the schools and cemeteries of the city. At the cemetery where the bodies of the Virginius martyrs are interred he made an impressive speech and placed a floral wreath upon each grave. He said that history did not furnish another instance of such unselfish devotion to the principle of liberty. Later he inspected the new school houses, which were the first to be built for educational purposes in Cuba.

Tonight the president-elect was entertained at the opera and by the Marine club. The city is illuminated and bands are playing on all the plazas.

MILLIONS DROPPED ON POWER SHARES

John R. Drexel and Cyrus Field Judson Said to Be Badly Caught by the Decline.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 1.—As a result of the sensational decline in International Power shares Wednesday, which continued today, two men identified with the manipulation of the stock, John R. Drexel and Cyrus Field Judson, who was a director of the company until today, have been badly burned.

Friends of Mr. Judson said tonight he had lost more than $1,000,000 of his profits which he had accumulated in the manipulation. Ample confirmation was obtained in Wall street of the report that Drexel & Co., bankers of Philadelphia, were urgently called upon by Mr. Drexel to give financial aid to more than one New York brokerage house so that contracts made by him in International Power on Wednesday could be fulfilled.

Wall street probably will never know how near the edge of a financial crash the decline in Power shares brought two or three important commission houses, when arrangements were being made for the stock delivery hour today.

The closing price today was 103, a decline for the day of 17 points.

Little Gentlemen's Clothing.

This department is growing in favor daily because it contains everything of merit, and we have received the patronage of people who take pride in dressing their boys.

Norfolk suits in plain and fancy serges, striped flannel effects. Plaid and checks in cheviots and worsteds. Sizes 7 to 15 years. Prices $6, $6.50, $7, $7.50.

Sailor blouse suits in Peter Thompson or regulation styles in serges, flannel, crash and Scotch novelty goods. All colors. Sizes 3 to 10 years. Prices $5 to $10.

Single-breasted suits, with belts to match, in all conceivable patterns and materials. Sizes 10 to 16 years. Prices $5 to $7.50.

Regular double-breasted suits, all colors, two and three button, green and brown predominating. Sizes 5 to 16 years. Prices $2.50 to $8.

Extra pants specials: $1.50 and $1.25 values at 98c. Also complete assortment of extra strong pants 48c. Convince yourself.

L. JACKSON & BRO.,
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Sunday Concert Season

opens next Sunday. Just a preliminary. Kennywood—Homestead Library band and Mrs. McMillen, soprano. Calhoun—Second Brigade band and L. C. McLaughlin, balladist. Oakwood—Rocereto's Great Concert band and Harris quartet. Southern—The new Sunday park—Pittsburgh Philharmonic orchestra and Lone Star quartet. All free.

Mathushek & Son pianos, famous for 60 years. Alex Ross Piano Co., 714 Penn ave.

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That People Are Talking About.

"Dorothy Vernon," by Charles Major, author of "When Knighthood Was in Flower"..... $1.08

"Audrey," by Mary Johnston, author of "To Have and To Hold"..... $1.08

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School.....

Town..... *County*.....

For the EUROPEAN TOUR tendered to 25 most popular School Teachers by

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE and CHRONICLE TELEGRAPH.

Send all ballots to Excursion Department, Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. Ballots not legibly filled out will not be counted. Last ballot will be printed May 31, 1902. Ballots from Sunday Gazette count three votes.

RULES OF VOTING CONTEST.

Ballots must be filled out with full name of teacher, school where employed, town and county; those of each series must be sent in before midnight of the 15th and last day of each month. The party will be composed of 25 teachers; 12 from Pittsburgh and Allegheny, 6 from Allegheny county outside the cities and 7 from outside of Allegheny county. All expenses will be borne by The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph and each member of the party will receive $50 in cash. The tour will occupy more than six weeks and cover the most interesting portions of England, Scotland, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Switzerland and France. Contest closes May 31.

TWO BIG FIRES

Davenport, Ia., and Norfolk, Va., Were Visited by Conflagrations Yesterday—Loss Is Heavy.

DAVENPORT, IA., May 1.—Fire this evening destroyed the major portion of the plant of the Bettendorf Steel Axle Company. The loss is estimated at $230,000. The company suffered a $200,000 loss by fire last November.

NORFOLK, VA., May 1.—Norfolk today suffered another heavy loss by fire which raged for nearly three hours in the business portion of the city. The loss is probably $150,000.

The fire started in the Virginia Candy Company's factory. The Norfolk Dispatch, an afternoon newspaper; M. Hofheimer & Co., tobacco manufacturers, and D. W. MacDonald's restaurant were burned out. Other property was damaged.

For Over 60 Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

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With heat indicator, for coal or gas makes baking easy and perfect.
J. C. Bartlett Co., 632-634 Liberty st.

DIED.

GISAL—On Thursday, May 1, 1902, at the residence of his brother-in-law, Robert Scott, corner Meadow and Finley streets, East End, SAMUEL F. GISAL, in his 49th year.
Notice of funeral later.

RINEHART—On Friday, May 2, 1902, at 12:10 a. m., MRS. ROSE RINEHART, widow of George Rinehart (nee Hanlon), at late residence, No. 10 Lilian street, Thirty-first ward, age 31 years 6 months and 22 days.
Notice of funeral hereafter.
(Chicago papers please copy.)

SALE OF USED PIANOS SURELY ENDS BY SATURDAY EVENING

It is altogether likely that the used pianos now offered at special sale at Hamilton's will be all disposed of by Saturday evening.

This hint should be sufficient to bring out all those tardy buyers who have fully intended to take advantage of this sale, but for one reason or another, have delayed coming.

Thoughtful persons who know the value of pianos and are familiar with the best makes, realize that this opportunity is really a golden one for purchasers.

The instruments in this lot include some of the best-known makes in the world, and most of them are practically as good as the day they left the factory, but inasmuch as they have been slightly used, prices have been cut unmercifully, so that it is now possible to buy a high-grade instrument for very much less than original cost.

This is Hamilton's method of effecting an immediate and positive clearance. They never do anything by halves, for each season wideawake customers are always glad to hear of a special sale going on at this store.

Prices Range From $100 Up.

One Hundred Dollars is, of course, a small price for a piano, and not all in this collection are selling at $100, but this gives an idea of the deep cuts being made in prices. None of the pianos are of the really cheap order, but are such as Hamilton's are proud to offer, and such as particular persons are very glad to buy.

This sale offers special inducements to persons who have children learning to play and is particularly attractive to those who wish practice pianos for which they don't care to pay full price.

Glance at the list of names and you will understand why this sale is attracting the attention of so many lovers of music: The used pianos include the following well-known makes: A. B. Chase, Fischer, Hamilton, McPhail, Cable, Mendelssohn, Haines, New England, Capen, Winthrop, Howard, Hallet & Cumston, Opera and others.

Don't wait longer but come before it is too late.

Such an opportunity will not occur again soon.

Such prices are unknown and impossible under ordinary circumstances.

And if you have use for an organ you will certainly make a purchase during this sale, for some remarkable bargains in organs are offered at prices that surprise all customers.

Organs From $15 Up.

Many well-known makes of used organs, including the following: Hamilton, Monarch, Burdett, Estey, Chicago Cottage, Clough & Warren and others.

Also some second-hand piano players at specially reduced prices to effect a quick clearance.

Monthly payments if you prefer.

Open Saturday evening till 10 o'clock.

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May's Famous Hair Tonic is great for heads scant of hair or heads that are becoming scant of hair. It renews the growth of hair in the former case and stops the falling of hair in the latter. It cures dandruff where such exists, and makes the hair soft and glossy. It is neither sticky nor greasy.

Science has proved that falling hair is caused by microbe in the hair follicle, which destroys the glands, cells and nerves that give life and coloring to the hair. May's Famous Hair Tonic goes straight to the cause—it destroys the microbe and nourishes the weakened hair follicle. You'll notice improvement from the first rub.

What it will do for you is best evidenced in what it has done for others:

M. S. Harris, of 4518 Plummer street, this city, says:

"I have used May's Famous Hair Tonic with the most gratifying results. I suffered with dandruff in a very severe form and May's Hair Tonic cured it completely. It also increased my hair's growth, and stopped it from falling out; it also restored my hair, then turning gray, to its natural color. I have recommended it to many of my friends."

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The Man's "Best" Suit---The Boy's "Best" Suit.

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To the man who wants to buy only one suit and make it go as far as possible, the variety in our Fourth Floor Clothing Department will commend itself.

We never use ficticious values in order to make seemingly remarkable underprices.

We sell no clothes that have cotton in them, or that are made of shoddy.

The clothing we sell is fairly priced and we make a fair profit. Most stores, if they handled the same grades, would charge at least a third more for them.

If you intend paying $15, or $18, or $20 for your "best" suit, why not go about it in a business way and see what the stores have—ours and the rest?

We want the people who buy from us to come back. In some stores you couldn't find the clerk who sold you the shoddy suit to save you.

See what we can do for you in a good suit from $15 and between that and $30.

See what we can do for your little boy in suits from $4 to $10.

See what we can do for the big knee-trousers boy in suits from $4 to $12.

And for the young man just stepping into long trousers suits—those suits from $8 to $22.

The Potted Palms and Rubber Plants.

The sale starts this morning on the sixth floor. There are plenty of Rubber Plants. We found out from the big sale of last Saturday that Rubber Plants were in demand.

The plants are potted, the pots are filled with strong lire soil, the plants are vigorous—and you buy them for 50c and 75c a pot. The usual price is $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.

All bought before 1 P. M. today will be delivered this afternoon; after that you will get them tomorrow.

A Big Bargain in Embroidery.

Cambric Edgings from 3 to 6 inches wide—just the thing for trimming tub suits—two special prices for today.

They sold for 10c, 12c, 15c and 25c a yard.

On special tables today—two straight prices—5c and 8c a yard.

Another big bargain: All remnants of Embroidery today at one-third of regular prices—turning it round it means two-thirds off.

Hudnut's American Perfumes.

It is a mistaken idea that one has to buy French extracts to get best perfumes. This is a case where "a rose by any other name will smell as sweet."

In this country, in the city of New York, we have a manufacturer of perfumes who, like many another American manufacturer, is invading Europe.

And his name is *Richard Hudnut*.

We are sole distributers for Allegheny county, and carry all his preparations. Among those having special properties are

Violet Sec Series:

Violet Sec Extract—$1.00 oz. Toilet Water—75c bottle. Soap—35c cake. Powder—25c package.

Extreme Violet Series:

Extreme Violet Extract—$1.00 oz. Toilet Water—$1.00 bottle. Talcum—50c box. Sachet—50c.
Ribbon Brand Olive Soap—50c cake.
Toilet Cerate, small—50c jar; large—$1.50 jar.
Milk of Cucumber and Orris—$1.00 bottle.
Wood Violet Sachet in jars—50c.
Perfumed Flannel—Violet—$2.50 piece; Heliotrope, $2.25 piece.
Moresco Sachet in boxes—$2.00.
Egg Julep for the hair—$1.00 bottle.
Almond Meal: Small—25c jar. Medium—50c jar. Large—$1.00 jar.
Mexican Cactus Cologne—½-pt. bottles—$1.75 bottle.
Wood Violet Tooth Wash—50c bottle.
Superba Tooth Powder—50c bottle.
Orris Tooth Powder—25c bottle.
Camphorated Tooth Powder—25c bottle.
Sea Shell Tooth Powder—25c bottle.
East India Bay Rum, 1-pt. size—$1.00 bottle.
Sachets in envelopes: Wood Violet—25c each. White Heliotrope—25c each.
Italian Orris, quadruple strength—2-oz. jars—75c package.

Imported Dress Linens Less Than Usual.

Of course you know this is to be a season for colored dress linens. That's what makes this offer so much more important.

Today a special shipment of imported COLORED LINEN ETAMINES in shades of pink, gobelin, navy, ecru, reseda and black, special at..... 35c yd.

Today 2,000 yards of 40c and 45c PLAIN AND FANCY GERMAN DRESS LINENS, new arrivals—the kind that wear well and launder well..... 25c yd.

Late Millinery News.

We have pleasure in stating we have complete lines of Phipps & Atchison's ready-to-wear Hats, introducing the new straw trimming for cloth hats—"Hinoki."

These decidedly new Hats are very light in weight, stiff and wiry, and are most admirable examples for wear at the seashore. $5, $8, $10 and $15.

Special tables laden with perfectly trimmed Hats and Toques for specially reduced prices—$3.50 from $5, $5 from $7, and so on.

Untrimmed Hats in the greatest variety—all shapes and all colors—50c and $1 each.

Flowers for trimming them—everything imitated that grows—10c, 25c, 50c for splendid big bunches.

Children's Hats—juvenile ideas to match everything—35c to $5.50.

Co-Carts.

Just got in another shipment of the celebrated Bloch Go-Carts.

A baby couldn't own a finer cart. Made of reed—not coarse, but fine reed.

All neat designs.

Prices range from $13.50 up to $30.

If mothers want to see something tip-top for that price we'd like to show them the roll reed cart we are selling for $10. Without fear of contradiction we say it is the best cart that can be bought for the money.

Two Special Offers in Dress Woolens.

But they will point the way to many other specially priced Summer dress goods in which wool, and nothing but wool, is the base.

$1 a yard 51-inch HOMESPUN SUITING—new Spring color combinations of gray, blue and oxford effects, and the price today is..... 78c yd.

56-inch SKIRTING CLOTH—the kind that sells for $1.25 a yard anywhere else—oxford and gray—today the price is..... 95c yd.

Special Prices for Young Girls' Tub Dresses.

85c and $1 each. For girls 4 to 12. About 200 Sailor Dresses in pink, blue and red striped Percale. Finished with white Pique collars.

$1.25 each. For girls 4 to 10. A nice lot of guimpe dresses made of fancy percale and finished with fancy collars.

A 12½c Group in the Basement.

Come to the Basement today and choose from this variety of wash-stuffs for 12 1-2c a yard:

2,500 yards of printed Duck and Pique—white ground with navy, red and black polka dots. Or the grounds and dots reversed.

1,500 yards Irish Linen Costume Cloth—Natural flax color.

Leave the matter of quality to your judgment.

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When You Want the Best Sunday Newspaper You Naturally Think of the Gazette.

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Having sold all our cheaper Wall Papers, etc., we cut finer goods to lower prices. See them. Great quantities must be sold in the next few weeks. Borders and Friezes same price as Wall Papers.

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NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY

AND HERE—owing to genuine bargains in every line.

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The best, of course. But the best is best cheapest—You will find qualities high here, but prices always low.

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If the druggist whose name appears in our small stamp books refuses to give you stamps with your purchase of 50c or more, ask for a receipted bill and present it with this Coupon at our store, 540 Penn ave., and receive $2.00 WORTH (20) STAMPS FREE, and if your bill is OK'd by our cashier you will also receive stamps for the amount of your purchase at The P. & A. Stamp Co., 540 Penn ave.

CUT THIS OUT.

Good for ONE DOLLAR'S WORTH of Green Trading Stamps in addition to those you receive with a 50c purchase or over.

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439 SMITHFIELD ST., PITTSBURGH.

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217 SMITHFIELD ST., PITTSBURGH.

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It should be the best procurable—not necessarily showy, but it should be substantial, convenient and serviceable as possible; if handsome and pleasing, so much the better.

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Sole agents for the Danner Sectional Bookcase (best in the world.)

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REES OFFICE FURNITURE CO.
300-304 PENN AVENUE.

The Amalgamated Re-Elects Shaffer
Gettysburg Gets Guard Encampment

SHAFFER RE-ELECTED BY THE AMALGAMATED

Defeats Zanesville Candidate for President by a Vote of 148 to 56.

PITTSBURGH RETAINS THE HEADQUARTERS

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WHEELING, W. VA., May 1.—All that now remains to be done by the Amalgamated association is the election of vice presidents, the appointment of the conference committee and the selection of the next convention city. The election, which resulted in a decisive victory for all the present officers, was the principal business today.

The opposition to President Shaffer centered their hopes in Thomas Williams of Zanesville, O., who was the only opposing candidate. The name of Assistant Secretary M. F. Tighe was not presented. Shaffer was elected, receiving 148 votes to Williams' 56. When the result was announced the executive received a great ovation. It is his fourth term.

Secretary John Williams and Editor Ben L. Davis of the Amalgamated Journal were re-elected to their respective positions without opposition.

The most interesting contest was that over the position of M. F. Tighe. Taking advantage of some feeling that had been stirred up against Mr. Tighe on account of the prominence he had been given as a possible candidate against President Shaffer the names of two men were placed in nomination: Ben Jones of Carnegie, Pa., and Harry Griffiths of Ellwood City, Pa. Tighe was re-elected by the following vote: Tighe, 117; Griffiths, 49; Jones, 34.

Nearly a dozen candidates were put for trustees. Two ballots were necessary, resulting in the re-election of John E. Taylor and Elias Jenkins. The third trustee is John G. Hagen of Piqua, O., who succeeds John Ridd.

One of the most interesting items of business transacted was the increase in salaries of 20 per cent given the president, secretary, editor of the Journal and assistant secretary. The proposition to add an insurance feature to the association was dropped. It was decided to make no change in the location of headquarters.

MONUMENT IS DEDICATED.

Thousands Participate in Unveiling Ceremonies in Honor of Soldiers.

LANCASTER, PA., May 1.—The monument at Ephrata in memory of the revolutionary soldiers buried there was unveiled and dedicated today in the presence of many thousands, including Gov. Stone and ex-Gov. Pattison.

There was a large parade of secret and patriotic societies, Grand Army posts and civic organizations. Addresses were delivered by Gov. Stone, ex-Gov. Pattison and others.

The monument consists of a shaft 36 feet 6 inches high and 3 feet square. It is made of Quincy granite quarried from property once owned by John Adams and his son, John Quincy Adams.

Prohibition Ticket Named.

DUBOIS, PA., May 1.—(Special.)—The Prohibitionists of Jefferson county held their convention at Falls Creek this afternoon. A full ticket was named as follows: Sheriff, James Kearney, Brockwayville; register and recorder, L. C. McGaw, Punxsutawney; prothonotary, B. D. Sprankle, Falls Creek; treasurer, the Rev. J. C. McIntyre, Reynoldsville; commissioners, Marshall McKughlin, Lanes Mills, and J. C. Sprankle, Granger; auditors, James G. Kearney, Lanes Mills, and R. F. Millen, Falls Creek; assembly, John B. Bair, Punxsutawney.

Woman Hangs Herself.

MARIETTA, O., May 1.—During a temporary aberration of mind Mrs. Florence McKinney, wife of Benjamin J. McKinney, editor of the Marietta Times, committed suicide today by hanging.

Threw Himself Under Cars.

URICHSVILLE, O., May 1.—(Special.)—Conrad Ranft, aged 20, of near Mineral City, committed suicide today by throwing himself under the wheels of a freight train.

THE GRISWOLD SOLD.

Fred S. Avery Has Sold Hostelry to Louis Weisberg.

The Hotel Griswold, extending from Second to Third avenues in Smithfield street, is under a new management. By deal completed yesterday afternoon Fred S. Avery transferred his lease to Louis Weisberger, a former proprietor of the Lowry house in Butler. Mr. Weisberger was for several years a clerk at the old Seventh Avenue hotel in Liberty avenue. Mr. Avery declined to state the consideration in the deal.

Mr. Avery came to Pittsburgh two years ago and secured a 10-year lease on the property, which was then known as the Central hotel. After having the building renovated and repainted he renamed the place the Hotel Griswold. The license court this year refused to renew the license for his bar.

Mr. Avery last night said that he would sever his connection with the business as soon as Kaufmann brothers, who own the Griswold property, agree to accept Mr. Weisberger as a tenant. Mr. Avery intends to remain in Pittsburgh.

The Hotel Griswold is the second downtown hotel that has changed hands this week owing to a failure to secure a license. The other property was the Hotel Victoria, in Sixth street.

LAIRD EMPLOYES BANQUETED.

W. M. Laird Acted as Host at a Dinner and Dance Last Night.

The employes of the W. M. Laird Shoe Company were given a banquet and dance by W. M. Laird, president of the company, at Braun's auditorium in South Highland avenue last night.

The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion, southern smilax, ferns and other greenery being used. About 200 employes of the firm were present at last night's affair, the company's stores being closed at 5 o'clock in order that all might have an opportunity to be present.

The banquet was served in 10 courses and one of the features on the menu was the ices served in the form of dainty slippers.

At the conclusion of the banquet R. W. McKee, head bookkeeper of the firm, made a short address, in which he thanked Mr. Laid on behalf of all the guests for his hospitality, and assured him the favor was appreciated by every person in the employ.

Mr. Laird responded briefly and said that it was a pleasure he greatly enjoyed to mingle with his employes, not only in business, but in a social way as well.

Archbishop Out of Danger.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The condition of Archbishop Corrigan was such tonight that according to Dr. Reyes he will in all probability be able to sit up in another week.

For Burns—Use Salve-cea.

It relieves the pain at once, prevents blistering and insures healing. Also invaluable for bruises, itching, cold in head and catarrh, while for piles it will surprise you the way it relieves and cures them. Price 25c and 50c, at druggists' or by mail. Salve-cea, 274 Canal st., New York.

CAR FAMINE HINDERS SHIPMENT OF COKE

Production Holding Its Own in the Connellsville Region.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., May 1.—The Courier will say tomorrow:

Coke production in the Connellsville region last week held its own. In fact the tide of trade in the iron markets, which has a direct bearing on the coke trade, is running full. All the steel plants are said to be more or less short of iron and the furnaces are striving to get out the iron they have sold, rather than to secure new contracts.

The detailed report of the operation and output of the region for the week ending Saturday, April 26, shows a total of 21,425 ovens in the region, of which 20,627 were active and 798 were idle. The total estimated production was 220,790 tons, compared with 222,284 tons the previous week. What little changes there were in the ovens came about through the firing or blowing out of small batches scattered over the region, owing to repairs. The running time last week was a trifle over an average of five days.

Lack of cars still keeps a majority of plants in the region idle one day in the week. The furnace ovens make the best time. Few of the small operators get cars enough for a full week's run.

Shipments for the week aggregated 11,746 cars, distributed as follows: To Pittsburgh and river ripples, 3,961 cars; to points west of Pittsburgh, 5,622 cars; to points east of Connellsville, 2,163 cars. This was an increase of 167 cars, compared with the shipments of the previous week. Furnace coke is quoted at $2 25 and foundry coke $2 75 and $3 00. These figures are for Standard Connellsville.

In the lower Connellsville region the works of the combine made six days, as did most of the plants owned by other companies. Some, however, were compelled to lay off two days and others one day, owing to a lack of cars to ship the product. The estimated production of the lower Connellsville field last week was 53,285 tons, compared with 35,870 tons the previous week. Shipments from the district last week were 849 cars, compared with 910 cars during the previous week.

INSOLVENCY IS CHARGED.

Trust Company Must Show Cause Why Receivers Should Not Be Appointed.

HARRISBURG, PA., May 1.—(Special.)—Judge Weiss granted a rule today on the Beaver Falls Homestead Loan and Trust Companies, Nos. 1 and 2, to show cause why receivers should not be appointed to wind up their affairs. This action was taken on petition of Attorney General Elkin, acting for Banking Commissioner Reeder, who alleges that the concerns are insolvent.

Gen. Reeder claims that there is only $6 78 in the treasury of the companies to pay $2,400 75 to the subscribers and $1,000 to the treasurer. The rule was made returnable on May 12.

Lived 102 Years.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., May 1.—(Special.)—Mrs. Margaret McDivitt died at her home near this city today, aged 102. She was born in Morrisons Cove, Blair county. Until a few weeks ago she retained remarkable possession of her faculties. She leaves 12 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Boy Died from Shot Wound.

TITUSVILLE, PA., May 1.—(Special.)—George Hyde, the 13-year-old son of James Hyde of Centerville, shot himself in the leg this morning while trying to drive some dogs from his employer's sheep. The boy died from loss of blood.

Negro Hanged for Murder.

MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA., May 1.—(Special.)—Lewis Young was hanged tonight in the state prison for the murder of Anthony Keil in McDowall county. Both were colored.

DELEGATES MEET IN A BOWER OF LILIES

Opening Session of General Federation of Women's Clubs in Los Angeles Yesterday.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

LOS ANGELES, CAL., May 1.—The formal opening of the club women's convention this afternoon was markedly brilliant. Hundreds of delegates and visitors packed the Simpson auditorium. The interior was embellished with 50,000 calla lilies.

The opening day was distinguished by two separate questions which would have developed into sensations had they reached the convention. The first affair came before the board of directors in the morning at its secret session. Mrs. C. H. McMahon of Salt Lake City had been appointed delegate from the P. E. O. chapter in that city, which had applied for admission to the general federation, and she had received her credentials. At the last minute Mrs. Denison, as a member of the membership committee, discovered that secret societies were not admissible and so notified the delegates. Today, before the board acknowledged the error, Mrs. McMahon withdrew amicably on two conditions: That the membership committee shouldered the mistake and that she be seated in the convention without a vote.

The Roberts matter has been simmering ever since Mrs. Roberts said that, as president of the Authors' club of Salt Lake City, she would be a delegate to the convention. Mrs. Roberts changed her mind and stayed at home.

Addresses of welcome were delivered by Gov. Gage, Mayor Snyder and others. Mrs. Lowe responded in so gracious a manner as to call out rounds of applause. Then came greetings from fraternal delegates, including Mrs. Rudolph Blankenburg and Mrs. Frederick Shoff, president of the National Congress of Mothers, both of Philadelphia.

The official reception came off in the evening under the auspices of the Friday Morning club at the women's clubhouse, a quaint structure of mission architecture which had been transformed into a tropical bower.

First Missionary to Mindanao.

BOSTON, MASS., May 1.—The American board has taken the initial step for beginning missionary work in the Philippine islands by the appointment of Robert F. Black of Union Theological seminary, New York, who will graduate during the present month, as its first missionary to Mindanao.

Foresters Elect Officers.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., May 1.—The supreme court of the Independent Order of Foresters elected J. H. Cameron of Ohio supreme vice chief ranger, over the opposition of the western members, who backed H. G. McElfresh of California.

GUARD ENCAMPMENT GOES TO GETTYSBURG

Gen. Gobin the Only Brigade Commander to Oppose the Site.

SAYS WATER SUPPLY IS NOT SUFFICIENT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, PA., May 1.—The division encampment of the National guard of Pennsylvania will be held on the Gettysburg battlefield, on the site of Pickett's famous charge. This location has finally been agreed upon by the general officers of the guard and the selection will be formally announced next week in general orders.

Gobin is the only brigade commander in the division who does not favor Gettysburg, his choice being M. Gretna. He claims that the water supply at Gettysburg is both insufficient and impure and that several deaths resulted from the last encampment there. Gobin's home (Lebanon) is within a half hour's ride of Mt. Gretna.

General orders were issued today from the headquarters of the guard announcing the honorable discharge of the following officers, whose resignations have been accepted by Adjt. Gen. Stewart: First Lieut. J. Warren Bauman, assistant surgeon medical department; First Lieut. Harry W. Chamberlain, Company C, Twelfth infantry; Capt. William M. Schrodes, Company C, Fourteenth regiment, infantry.

MORE BODIES FOUND.

One Is Presumed to Be That of Linton Allen of This City.

CAIRO, ILL., May 1.—On the search for bodies of the victims of the steamer City of Pittsburgh disaster the body of a woman was found near Cache island, a few miles above the city, this afternoon. Among the bodies found today the following have been identified: Clay Breeze, Uniontown, Ky.; Delia Burke, Owensboro, Ky., and John Leach.

The body of the boy found below the city today is supposed to be that of Linton Allen of Pittsburgh. The total number of bodies recovered is 55.

BISHOP CONSECRATED.

Coadjutor of the Episcopal Diocese of Pennsylvania Installed.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—The Rev. Alexander Mackay-Smith was today consecrated bishop coadjutor of the Episcopal diocese of Pennsylvania. The ceremonies were conducted in Holy Trinity church.

Bishop Doane of Albany was the consecrator. The sermon was preached by Bishop Potter of New York. As assistants Bishop Doane had Bishop Scarborough of New Jersey and Bishop Whitehead of Pittsburgh. The presentors were Bishop Satterlee of Washington, Bishop McVickar of Rhode Island, the Rev. Cornelius B. Smith of New York, the Rev. Richard H. Nelson of this city, and the Rev. N. Newton Stanger.

DIVIDEND DECLARED.

Pennsylvania Railroad Will Pay 3 Per Cent on $204,374,850.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 1.—At a special meeting of the directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company today a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent was declared, payable on and after May 31 to the stockholders of record May 5. This is the first dividend of 3 per cent flat declared since November, 1892, and is payable on the capital stock of $204,374,850.

Last November the directors declared a dividend of 2½ per cent and an extra dividend of 1 per cent upon a capital stock of $202,073,200.

VICTIMS RECOVERING.

Condition of Only Three Hurt in Factory Panic Serious.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—A majority of the 28 young women injured yesterday in the panic at the cigar factory of Harburger, Homan & Co., resulting in the death of eight employes, suffered principally from nervousness and shock, and went to their homes after treatment at the various hospitals.

Ten victims are still in the hospitals and of these three are in a critical condition.

Submarine Boat in Service Again.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—The submarine boat Fulton, on which an explosion occurred Tuesday, passed to sea from the Delaware breakwater this afternoon in tow of the tug Storm King. The vessel is bound for New Suffolk, Long Island. The Fulton has all of her original crew on board.

Fell 342 Feet to Death.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., May 1.—Charles Myers, aged 30 and unmarried, was instantly killed this afternoon by falling 342 feet down a shaft being sunk for the Webster Coal and Coke Company, near Summerhill, this county.

State Charters Issued.

HARRISBURG, PA., May 1.—Charters were issued today to the following corporations: Clarion Trust Company, Clarion, capital $1,000; the Elanor Coal & Coke Company, Uniontown, capital $60,000.

Heiress Committed Suicide.

CINCINNATI, May 1.—Alice Schroth, daughter of Millionaire Packer Schroth, committed suicide this morning by shooting herself through the heart. She had brooded recently over impaired health caused by fright from a burning building.

When the Hair Turns Gray.

Economy in youth is the easy chair of old age. Are you providing for this future? If not, do not let another day pass until you have taken the proper step, and that is in the opening of a savings account. The Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, Smithfield street, opposite postoffice, one of the oldest and strongest banks in the country, will be glad to have your account. Any sum from a dollar up received, and 4 per cent interest paid. Write for booklet 28. You can bank by mail.

Bartlett Range—Quick Baker.

J. C. Bartlett Co., 632-634 Liberty st.

Caution to the Public: Be sure you get into the store where the fire was. This warning is again repeated by order of the Board of Fire Adjusters who are now closing out the partially damaged stock of

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TODAY (FRIDAY) AND TOMORROW (SATURDAY)

Should be the greatest days of this greatest sacrifice sale ever known in Pittsburgh. Hundreds of tons of furniture and carpets have just been released from their burlaps—and although some goods could really be sold as unblemished—

Still the Entire Stock Must Go!

MIGHT AS WELL GIVE THEM AWAY.
Hardwood Dining Chairs that were $10.50 per set of six—Choice of thousands of 'em, only, per set,
$2.50

PARLOR SUITES
115 new style five-piece Parlor Suites; all bought for this Spring's trade. Priced before the Fire at from $40 to $60, now selling down to
$12.00

EXTENSION TABLES
Solid oak, highly polished six foot Extension Tables, carved legs. Priced before the Fire at $18, $15 and $12; now selling down to
$3.00

BRUSSELS CARPETS
Hundreds of rolls that were of such fine quality that they were not perceptibly damaged by the water. They sold before the Fire at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.65 a yard, now selling down to
65c

FINE COUCHES
Hundreds of the newest and best makes of Oak and Mahogany Couches, upholstered in Leather, Plush and Velour, that sold before the Fire from $12 to $30, now as low as
$4.50

SIDEBOARDS
Some not even touched by water, only smoked, but you can have them during this great sale down to
$5.00

No Goods Reserved—Everything Goes. Goods all Arranged So They Can Be Seen at a Glance by Hurried Buyers.

Linoleums, Oil Cloths, Mattings.

Hundreds upon hundreds of rolls! There is no intention on the part of the Board of Fire Adjusters to mislead the public in regard to prices on any of the goods offered. Honesty is the best policy even if no moral obligation were involved.

The Linoleums, Oil Cloths and Mattings are just in about as good condition as when they left the factory, hence the sacrifice is not quite so great as on some other lines but—

Aren't These Bargains Worth Coming For?

Linoleums that were 60c, 80c and 90c per Yd.
Now at 25c to 50c a Yard.

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I have every good hat style worth having.

The Court and the wide brim Phila. derbies at $4 and $3 are in the front rank of fashion.

Still there are other good styles worthy of your notice.

For instance, Dunlap and Youman styles at $2.25 and $1.75.

I also have wide brims and those high curled brim derbies at the same prices, in black and new brown shades.

Light weight soft felt knock-a-bout hats, all colors, $1 and $1.50.

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Harrisburg Express, daily	4:43 p.m.
Philadelphia Express, daily	4:00 p.m.
Eastern Express, daily	7:10 p.m.
Fast Line, daily	9:00 p.m.
"Pittsburgh Limited," daily for New York, Baltimore and Washington only	10:30 p.m.
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For Belle Vernon only, 9:50 p.m. Sundays.	
For West Elizabeth, Dravosburg and Monongahela City, 6:00, 10:30 a.m., 1:05, 4:20, 5:25, 6:25 and 11:35 p.m. week days. Sundays, 8:05 a.m., 1:05, 5:20 and 9:50 p.m.	
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Day Express, daily	7:30 a.m.
Main Line Express, daily	8:00 a.m.
Harrisburg Mail, daily	12:45 p.m.
Harrisburg Express, daily	4:43 p.m.
Philadelphia Express, daily	4:00 p.m.
Eastern Express, daily	7:10 p.m.
Fast Line, daily	9:00 p.m.
"Pittsburgh Limited," daily for New York, Baltimore and Washington only	10:30 p.m.
Philadelphia and Boston Express, daily	12:01 a.m.

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	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	11:15 am
Youngstown & Cleve. Mail	* 8:25 am	* 9:00 am
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 9:25 am	* 9:40 pm
L. Chautauqua Fast Line	12:50 pm	6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	† 2:30 pm	11:15 am
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	* 1:00 pm
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	* 6:00 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex.	*10:30 pm	* 6:05 am
Cleve. & Youngst'n Accom	† 6:35 am	† 5:10 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 8:30 am	† 5:35 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 8:30 am	6:40 am
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	12:10 pm	12:30 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 3:50 pm	4:15 pm
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	† 7:52 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 5:20 pm	† 9:30 am
Fayette City & N. Haven	† 4:50 am	† 8:15 am
Fayette City & Fayette City	†11:50 am	12:25 pm
Fayette City & N. Haven	† 5:30 pm	† 4:50 pm
Fayette City Express	† 5:20 pm	† 7:55 pm

Trains depart for Elwood City, 6:35 a. m., 12:50 a. m., *2:30 p. m., 4:20 p. m.

P. C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Reading and Beechmont, 10:35 a. m., †10:15 a. m.

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TRAIN	LEAVE	ARRIVE
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Indianapolis and St. Louis	* 1:10 am	* 1:40 am
Ft. Wayne and Chicago	* 1:05 am	* 1:40 am
Tiffin and Fostoria	* 1:05 am	* 1:40 pm
Indianapolis and St. Louis	* 2:50 am	* 3:00 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 3:35 am	* 8:40 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5:20 am	† 7:10 pm
Allianee and Cleveland	† 5:20 am	† 7:10 pm
Alliance and Wooster	† 5:40 am	†10:30 pm
Jamestown & Youngstown	† 6:30 am	† 7:20 pm
Ohio Valley Express	† 8:40 am	† 5:30 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago	* 8:50 am	* 5:30 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago	* 7:00 am	* 5:20 pm
Tiffin and Toledo	* 7:00 am	* 5:20 pm
New Castle and Jamestown	* 7:35 am	* 5:50 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 7:35 am	† 5:05 pm
Erie and Ashtabula	* 7:35 am	†10:45 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 7:35 am	†10:45 pm
Cleveland Fast Line	* 8:00 am	* 5:40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:00 am	* 5:40 pm
Youngstown & Jamestown	†12:40 pm	† 7:50 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	* 1:25 pm	* 5:50 pm
Columbus and Chicago	*12:25 pm	* 2:30 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	* 1:25 pm	* 5:50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 1:25 pm	* 5:50 pm
Alliance and Crestline	* 1:25 pm	*12:40 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4:35 pm	* 8:20 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 4:55 pm	* 8:50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4:55 pm	† 7:50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 4:50 pm	* 8:40 am
Cleveland Special	* 5:10 pm	*11:30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5:15 pm	† 9:10 am
Chicago Special	* 5:30 pm	† 7:45 am
Chicago Limited	* 6:10 pm	† 7:45 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:15 pm	* 6:30 am
Indiap's, Louisv. & St. L.	* 8:15 pm	* 8:20 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 8:15 pm	* 8:20 am
Beaver Falls and N. Castle	†10:15 pm	† 7:50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	*11:00 pm	* 8:40 am
Leave for Washington, Pa., 1:05, 7:00, 9:00 a.m., 12:00 m., 1:05, 3:10, 4:10, 5:15 p.m., 12:00 night. Arrive from Washington, Pa., 8:10, 10:00 a.m., 12:40, 3:00, 5:00, 6:20, 7:30, 10:30 p.m.		
Leave for Wheeling, 10:45 a.m. *8:20 a.m., 12:35 p.m., 6:15 p.m.		
Leave for Steubenville, *5:50 a.m., *8:25 a.m., 12:35 p.m., 6:15 p.m., 11:35 p.m.		
Leave for Denniston, 5:50 a.m., 12:35 p.m.		
Leave Allegheny for East Liverpool, Steubenville and Bellaire, 7:15 a.m.		
Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, †4:30 p.m.		

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Cumberland Accom	* 6:30 am	* 9:05 pm
Connelsv. & Mt. Pleasant	* 6:30 am	† 4:45 pm
Wash., Balt. & New York	* 8:00 am

PITTSBURGH GAZETTE'S CABLE FEATURES

PEASANTS DEVASTATE ESTATES OF NOBLEMEN IN SOUTHERN RUSSIA

Former Serfs Drive Landlords from Their Homes and Take Possession.

MANY ARE KILLED BY THE SOLDIERS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 1.—Duke Alexander of Oldenbourg's celebrated chateau of Romone, in the government of Voronej, southern Russia, has been burned by revolting peasants, who practically ruined the estate. The duke is the father-in-law of the czar's sister Olga, who married his son, Duke Peter, last year.

The labor population of the whole district between Moscow and Vladimir, central Russia, is in revolt. There have been numerous encounters between the workingmen and the troops, and many persons have been killed or wounded. A Uhlan regiment, commanded by Col. Morosoff, refused to act against the workmen.

The seriousness of the situation in South Russia is apparent from the fact that Dmitrieniroff, governor general of Kieff; Pocorcoff, vice director of the department of police, and other officials have joined Von Plehwe, the minister of the interior, at Kharkoff. The Voronej sugar refineries have especially suffered from the outbreak during which the duke of Oldenbourg's estate was dismantled.

It now develops that the agitators, who are chiefly responsible for the spread of the revolutionary movement among the hungry peasants, used a curious political canard to bring the former serfs and the land owners into collision. A rumor was industriously circulated that the czar had ordered the lands of the nobles to be divided among the emancipated serfs.

The peasants thereupon formed committees, under the communal officials, which waited on the land owners and ordered them to vacate the land withheld from the peasants, chose their own agents and proceeded to distribute the land and moveables, leaving the noblemen from 15 to 20 acres each.

The proceedings, which were orderly, were conducted with the utmost gravity until the authorities interfered. Thereafter there was riot, arson and devastation.

OVER FOUR HUNDRED KILLED BY TORNADO

Historic City of India Is in Ruins and Crops Are Destroyed.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

CALCUTTA, May 1.—A tornado has devastated the city of Dacca and adjoining towns. Four hundred and 16 persons were killed. Crops were ruined throughout the district.

Dacca is a city in Bengal and has a famous place in the history of British India. It is 150 miles northeast of Calcutta. In the seventeenth century it was the capital of Bengal. In 1800 it had a population of 200,000 and was noted for its product of fine muslins, which were known as "woven wind."

Growing imports of Manchester cotton ruined its industries, however, and by 1891 the population had dwindled to 82,000.

ENGLISH WONDERING.

American Speed in Erecting Huge 250 Foot Stack Regarded as Latest Marvel.

Yankee methods and British workmen are still performing wonders that startle the English public, who have hardly had time to cease wondering at the records made in brick laying at the British Westinghouse company's works at Manchester when they are called upon to admire the huge chimney stack of the generating station of the Mersey Railway Company at Liverpool.

Commenced about Christmas time, the stack, which is about 250 feet in height, has been completed already, and stands as a record breaker as far as expedition in building is concerned.

The work has been carried out by the British Westinghouse company, who have the contract for converting the Mersey railway tunnel from steam to electric traction, and the work has been done by British labor.

From nearly every part of Liverpool the Mersey chimney, decorated with the American and British national flags, stands out plainly on the sky line as the highest structure in that part of Cheshire.

Smallpox Closes a Foundry.

ERIE, PA., May 1.—(Special.)—The stove foundry of Black & Germer, employing 140 men, has been closed on account of the spread of smallpox among the workmen. The disease appeared 10 days ago and since that time 14 cases have developed. Several boarding houses in the vicinity where the sick men have been housed have been quarantined.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT IS ASKED TO PREVENT STEAMSHIP COMBINE

Transfer of Commerce to the American Flag Feared by Englishmen.

QUESTION IS DEBATED IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, May 1.—An attempt was made in the house of commons today to get the government to pledge itself to prevent the transfer of British steamships to a foreign flag, pending the report of the committee recently appointed by the admiralty to inquire into the subject. The government leader, A. J. Balfour, pointed out that a suggestion of such a startling character could not be carried out without the gravest consideration. It simply amounted to a proposal that the government should prevent a British subject from selling his property to a foreigner. No doubt the matter referred to was very serious, but such a drastic change in established practice could not be undertaken lightly.

After the president of the board of trade, Gerald Balfour, had informed the house of commons this afternoon that he had been confidentially informed of the terms of the proposed trans-Atlantic combine, which did not necessarily involve a change in the nationality of the ships, and the government leader, A. J. Balfour, had announced that the officials of the White Star line did not appear to have violated their contract with the British admiralty, Russell Rea, (Radical), a ship owner and merchant, moved the adjournment of the house in order to discuss the matter, which was of urgent public importance.

A few members having spoken of the very great anxiety experienced throughout the country as a result of the formation of a combination of such strength and character as the American shipping syndicate, A. J. Balfour expressed the hope that the debate would be closed. He quite appreciated the importance of the subject and the desire of the members to discuss it, but no useful purpose could be served by a debate now. The government had been privately informed regarding the actions of private individuals, and it was giving the matter anxious consideration. If it disclosed this information it would shut the door to further confidences.

Sir James Woodhouse (Liberal) disclaimed all antipathy or ill-feeling for Americans; but, he asserted, British marine and mercantile interests were menaced by the Americans, who had already captured the British shoe and steel industries, and he wanted the government to take action in order to stem the tide.

Mr. Rea's motion was ultimately withdrawn.

According to the Liverpool Post, one-third of the £34,000,000 capital of the shipping combine will be required to liquidate the White Star line interests. The paper also says that a substantial proportion of the preference shares will be handed over to the owners of the White Star line, who will also get £3,000,000 in cash from the sale of the debentures.

New Seaboard Air Line Man Here.

John A. Murdock, the newly-appointed commercial agent of the Seaboard Air line in this territory, assumed his new duties yesterday morning. He succeeds J. H. Tinker, who resigns the position to go with an industrial concern. The new commercial agent of the air line here has been with the company for over a year as traveling freight agent at Philadelphia. He entered railroad service in 1894, with the Philadelphia office of the Florida Central & Peninsular railroad, and later went with the Rock Island at the same city. For a few weeks last spring he had charge of the Pittsburgh office during the interim following the resignation of Mr. Tinker's predecessor and the appointment of the latter to the place.

Women Elect Officers.

STEUBENVILLE, O., May 1.—(Special.)—The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Steubenville district Methodist Episcopal church, adjourned tonight after holding its annual sessions at Mingo Junction. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. J. S. Secrist, Bridgeport; vice president, Mrs. A. R. Wells, Wellsville; recording secretary, Mrs. J. W. Rice, Martins Ferry; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Stephen Clark, Mingo; treasurer, Miss Dora Evans, Steubenville; literature secretary, Mrs. E. S. Hongton, Martins Ferry.

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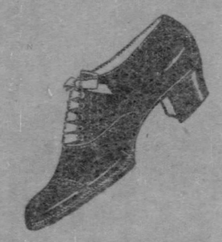

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New Wabash Lines to Cost $10,000,000

CONTRACTS WILL SOON BE LET FOR 200 MILES

President J. T. Blair of the Little Kanawha Talks of Plans for Proposed Links.

Contracts aggregating nearly $10,000,000 for constructing links in the proposed Wabash seaboard line will be let in the course of the next two months, according to J. T. Blair, president of the Little Kanawha railroad, one of the links now being constructed. Mr. Blair, accompanied by E. D. Fulton of Uniontown, was in Pittsburgh yesterday looking after some of the coal interests involved in the West Virginia plans.

"The surveys for the line from Zanesville, O., to the Ohio river opposite Parkersburg will be complete in about 10 days," Mr. Blair said. "A cantilever bridge, similar to that of the Wabash now building at Pittsburgh, with approaches nearly one mile long, will be built across the river to Parkersburg. The line of the Little Kanawha for 50 miles east into West Virginia will be used. From the terminus of the Little Kanawha to Belington, W. Va., a line, low grade and excellent in all regards, will be built. From Belington the West Virginia Central will be used. Whether the new main line will run via Cumberland is not yet determined. It may branch off from the present West Virginia Central at Keyser and run through Romney to the Potomac river, near Sir John's run, crossing the river there to reach the Western Maryland at Cherry Run."

Mr. Blair is not conversant with the plans of the Goulds to go east from Pittsburgh. That part, he says, has not yet been determined upon.

The construction of the Ohio line and the line to Belington means about 200 miles of new railroad, he says, and $8,000,000 is a fair estimate of the cost. The big bridge over the Ohio river at Parkersburg will cost another $1,000,000. Other work will add another $1,000,000.

The apparently certain success of the Fuller or Wabash bid for the city of Baltimore's control of the Western Maryland railroad has given new interest to the personnel of that syndicate. The full syndicate that will supply the $8,751,370 45 to be paid in cash for the Maryland road follows:

George J. Gould, president Missouri Pacific Railway Company and Gould Southwestern system; Edwin Gould, president St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company and Bowling Green Trust Company; Howard Gould, director Gould system of railroads; Myron T. Herrick, chairman Wheeling & Lake Erie board; Alvin W. Krech, vice-president of Wheeling & Lake Erie and Mercantile Trust Company; Edward L. Fuller, president International Salt Company; Winslow S. Pierce, general counsel Union Pacific, general attorney for Gould system; Joseph Ramsey, Jr., president Wabash railroad and Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad; Louis Fitzgerald, president Mercantile Trust Company; James H. Hyde, president Equitable Life Assurance Society; John T. Terry, director Wabash and other Gould companies; Bowling Green Trust Company; John W. Gates, president American Steel and Wire Company; Harris Gates & Co., bankers; Cornelius Vanderbilt; Welles, Herrick & Hicks, bankers; A. H. Calef, secretary Missouri Pacific Railway Company; Gen. Grenville M. Dodge, the builder of the Union Pacific railroad; James Parmelee, a leading banker of Cleveland; Walter Scranton, president Lackawanna Iron and Steel Company; American Trust Company of Cleveland; Guardian Trust Company of Cleveland; North American Trust Company of New York; William H. Taylor, vice-president Bowling Green Trust Company; Senator S. B. Elkins of West Virginia; P. C. Kerens of St. Louis.

Richard C. Kerens of St. Louis, one of the syndicate members, declares that if by any slip the Western Maryland should be lost to the Goulds options will be closed on a line already surveyed from Cumberland, Md., to Newport News. He also affirmed the report that Senator Clark's line, now under construction from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles, will be a part of the Gould system.

RAILROAD NOTES.

J. A. Barr of McKees Rocks is attending the annual convention of the International Association of Railway Surgeons, of which he is president, at St. Louis.

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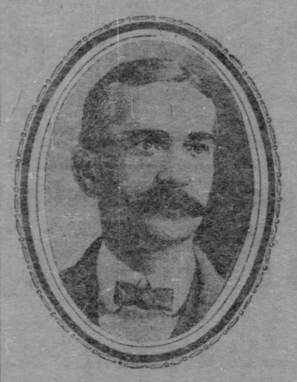
[illegible] and trunk line passenger associations made a rate of a fare and a [illegible] certificate plan for the [illegible] of the American Science [illegible] city.



H. O. DUNKLE,
Superintendent New Castle Division Baltimore & Ohio.

EARNINGS INCREASED

Pennsylvania Railroad Company's Report Shows Better Results All Along the Line.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company's comparison of earnings and expenses for March, 1902, and for the three months ending March 31, 1902, with the same period of 1901 is as follows:

Pennsylvania railroad lines directly operated month of March, 1902: Gross earnings increase $447,200; expenses increased $415,500; net earnings increased $32,900. For three months ending March 31, gross earnings increased $1,397,800; expenses increased $1,308,100; net earnings increased $89,700.

Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore, month of March: Gross earnings decreased $19,700; expenses decreased $38,000; net earnings increased $18,300. For three months ending March 31, gross earnings increased $22,600; expenses decreased $27,200; net earnings increased $49,800.

Northern Central railway for month of March: Gross earnings increased $26,100; expenses increased $21,200; net earnings increased $4,900. For the three months ending March 31, gross earnings increased $100,200; expenses increased $10,300; net earnings increased $89,-400.

Lines west of Pittsburgh and Erie directly operated, month of March: Gross earnings increased $350,700; expenses increased $304,100; net earnings decreased $46,400. For the three months ending March 31, gross earnings $1,285,800; expenses increased $1,029,700; net earnings increased $256,100.

HAY AND GRAIN YARDS OF P. & W. ARE READY

Tracks on South Avenue Giving Room for 300 Cars Will Be Reserved for This Use.

The Pittsburgh & Western railroad yesterday put into service a large hay and grain yard for the exclusive handling of such business. Orders have been issued to clear the yards at Grant and South avenues, Allegheny, for the new purposes, beginning today. Room will be provided for about 300 cars, in an easily accessible location and well arranged for quick work. Preparations are making also for the handling of less than carload lots of hay and grain. Large platforms will be provided and all the other essentials.

The offices of the yards will be at the foot of Allegheny avenue and two men will be in charge to look after the business. One of the men will take care of the orders, after sales, and reconsign the cars to their new destinations.

These facilities have been in demand for several years. In response to a similar demand, the Pennsylvania gave up part of the old Manchester yards last fall for the same purposes. The Pittsburgh & Western's freight men have been trying for over a year to make this arrangement and are greatly gratified at its final adoption.

The yard business, largely storage, heretofore handled in these yards, will be transferred to Willow Grove and other yards, where there is room for the cars.

Air Brake Men Elect Officers.

Officers of the Airbrake association were elected yesterday. Colorado Springs was selected for the 1903 convention. A visit was paid to the Homestead Steel works and then the convention adjourned. The three days' session in Pittsburgh has been one of the most profitable ever held. The hospitality of the Westinghouse Airbrake Company, responsible for the greater part of the social features, was thoroughly appreciated. The officers elected yesterday are: President, J. E. Goodman, Northern Pacific, St. Paul; first vice president, W. Huntley, Chesapeake & Ohio, Richmond, Va.; second vice president, E. K. Desoe, Boston & Albany, Springfield, Mass.; third vice president, M. T. Hume, Santa Fe, Galveston, Tex.; treasurer, Otto Best, Louisville & Nashville, Nashville, Tenn.; secretary, F. M. Nellis, Westinghouse Company, New York; assistant secretary, F. W. Gross, New York.

At the morning session a paper on the equipment and maintenance of an airbrake testing plant, prepared by a committee headed by P. J. Langan, was read. The ladies of the party took carriage rides to points of interest during the day. Last evening an entertainment was given in the Monongahela house parlors, ending the proceedings.

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The Opponents—Harrison Robertson.
The Minority—Frederick Trevor Hill.
The Rustler—Frances McElrath.
The Claybornes—William Sage.
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ONE DIFFICULTY IN QUAY'S COUNTY HAS BEEN FIXED

Dr. McConnell Leaves a Clear Field to S. P. White for State Senator.

TOOK SENATOR'S ADVICE

Assembly and Congressional Rivalries Still Trouble the Party Leaders. Acheson's Suit for Mandamus on County Chairman Up Today.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Beaver, Pa., May 1.—Part of the political tangle in Beaver has been straightened by the withdrawal of Dr. H. S. McConnell of New Brighton as a candidate for state senator. This was done at the request of M. S. Quay and leaves a clear field to ex-Senator Sampel P. White for the senatorial indorsement from his county.

When Senator Quay came home from Washington a few days ago he found that the county was in bad shape politically. One of the troubles was that McConnell and White were determined to go to the senate and if they continued to be a factor in the primaries there would be an absence of harmony. The colonel set to work to make peace and succeeded. On his return to Washington he sent this telegram to Dr. McConnell:

Quay's Advice Taken.

"I canvassed the situation carefully at home, and while you have my friendship and would have my support, I feel it my duty to urge you, in the interest of party harmony, to withdraw from the contest for the senatorship."

Dr. McConnell yesterday made this announcement of his withdrawal:

"Receiving the above and believing party harmony paramount to individual interests and ambitions, I shall comply with the request and withdraw from the senatorial contest. I wish to express my most sincere thanks to my friends who so freely and willingly proffered me their support, and shall ever kindly remember them all and will repay them when an opportunity is offered.

Other Contests Unsettled.

There is still a contest for assemblyman, Ira P. Mansfield, Beaver; T. L. Kennedy, New Brighton, and John T. Taylor, Monaca, are in the race. Two nominations are to be made.

The congressional tangle has got into the courts. Tomorrow morning there will be a hearing on the petition of Congressman W. P. Acheson for a mandamus to compel County Chairman Louthan to announce Acheson's name. This is a unique proceeding and is being watched with great interest. The contest against Acheson on the part of the friends of J. H. Cunningham, the Beaver candidate, is so bitter that there is slight probability of harmony being secured.

ARRANGEMENTS ARE ALMOST COMPLETED

Entertainment Committee Preparing to Take Care of Delegates to General Assembly.

J. G. Lorimer, chairman of the entertainment committee of the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church, which convenes in the Eighth church, Allegheny, has almost completed arrangements for the assignment of the 200 delegates from various parts of the United States who will be here on that occasion. The arrangements for the general assembly were told Mr. Lorimer yesterday by Rev. Dr. Boyd, who has been here for some time completing the arrangements. We have heard from many of the delegates and assigned quarters for them in various parts of the two cities. The general meetings of this body are of such importance that but little time is left for recreation.

During their stay here two meals a day will be served in the Eighth church auditorium, so that the delegates will not be interrupted in their work. The Women's Presbyterian Union, composed of women from the various presbyteries, will have charge of this work. Mrs. Dr. John McNaughter is chairman of the committee in charge. The assembly opens Wednesday morning.

Saturday afternoon we have arranged for a trolley ride that will take in the sight-seeing features of the two cities and the suburbs."

The board of home missions met yesterday in the United Presbyterian building, with the Rev. Dr. J. K. McClurkin in the chair. Its report to the general assembly will be ready next week. The Rev. Dr. J. Reid, Sr., said that it would probably recommend about the same amount for home mission work as last year. The appropriation last year was $15,190.

FORTY-NINERS DID NOT HOLD MEETING

Almost All of the Little Band of Adventurers Have Passed Away.

There was no annual meeting of the "Forty-niners" last night. The little band of adventurers who crossed the plains in 1849, on their way to California in search of gold and who in late years have lived in Pittsburgh, has so dwindled away that there are hardly enough to hold a meeting.

There are in Western Pennsylvania possibly 20 persons who went to California in 1849, but of these not half are physically able to attend a meeting. Last year, when a meeting was held at No. 328 Diamond street, there were only five present. They were J. C. Buffum, D. P. Keller, Henry Dickson and F. C. Negley of Pittsburgh and Benjamin Pfeiffer of Rochester.

F. C. Negley was the presiding officer. Since then he has gone to another world, and none of the members took it upon himself to call a meeting. J. C. Buffum has but recently returned from a trip over the route that was taken in 1849. He said yesterday that he hoped a meeting would yet be held, as he would like to tell the "boys" of the wonderful things he has seen where they toiled together.

NEW BANK OPENED.

Cosmopolitan National Began Business Yesterday in Handsome Quarters at Liberty and Wood.

The new Cosmopolitan National Bank, at the corner of Liberty avenue and Wood street, opened its doors for business yesterday and all day long the officers were busily engaged in receiving friends and customers. The bank commences business with a large clientele and the clerks were taxed to their utmost in opening accounts.

The banking-room is handsomely finished in marble and mahogany and the interior presents a most attractive appearance. The capital stock is $200,000.

The officers are L. H. Smith, president; John McClurg, vice-president; F. H. McKinnie, Charles H. Sachs, W. R. Rowe, S. Davis, L. H. Smith, H. A. Logue, A. M. Hast, Alexander Spiro, Lewis I. Selezer, D. J. Richardson and John McClurg, directors. All well-known business men. Cashier is D. J. Richardson, who has for the past 20 years been connected with the old National Bank as head bookkeeper.

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Local News of All Pittsburgh

Three Cities, Forty-Five Boroughs, Twenty-Six Townships. Population, 726,066. Area, Square Miles, 316.22. Fifth in Volume of Bank Clearings. Fourth in Rank Among Cities.

New Cataloguer Elected—Miss Edna L. Krouse has been elected a cataloguer in the Allegheny library, to succeed Miss Gray Patterson, who resigned.

Want Early Closing Rule—The saics people of Braddock last night formed an assembly of the Knights of Labor. The main object is to secure early closing hours.

Was Killed by a Train—Daniel Reese, 51 years of age, a laborer, living at No. 116 Patterson street, Rankin, was killed by a Baltimore & Ohio railroad train at Rankin.

Borough Has a Big Debt—McKees Rocks' indebtedness is $50,000 over the legal amount. The report of the auditor will be presented at the meeting of council on Monday night.

Striker Is Blamed—John Weisen, a West Homestead policeman, was badly beaten yesterday near the plant of the Mesta Machine Company by a man supposed to be one of the striking core-makers.

Was Struck by Street Car—Daniel Linkenhile of Millvale was struck by a street car on the Butler road, near Millvale, last night. One of his legs and three ribs were broken. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

Wanted to Fight Rescuer—William Leonard, a policeman in the Homestead steel works, dragged a drunken man from the tracks of the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad yesterday but a few minutes before a freight train passed. The man then wanted to fight him.

Three Found With Smallpox—Mrs. Zilla Brown, 65 years of age, John Hofford, 40 years of age, and William Brady, 28 years of age, were found with smallpox at No. 25 Shores alley yesterday. All were sent to the pesthouse and three persons were quarantined in the house.

Rushing Reservoir Work—John H. Trimble, who is in charge of the work being done on Highland reservoir No. 2 by Keeling & Ridge, reported to Director J. Guy McCandless yesterday that more work had been done since the recent resumption than had been done in all the five years since the work began.

No Score Cards Allowed—Judge Fraser yesterday said that baseball score cards are included in the list of "other devices" that must not be in saloons. He also said that there will be no rehearings of the applicants for liquor licenses who are held over unless the court learns something detrimental to the applicant meanwhile.

Naturalists' Club in Field—The Andrew Carnegie Naturalists' club will hold the second of its series of field meets tomorrow. The members will assemble in the lecture room of Carnegie institute at 9:30 this morning and leave for Kennywood under the leadership of J. A. Shafer. Should the weather prove unfavorable a meeting will be held in the lecture-room.

Scales Were Removed—The borough council of Turtle Creek won a fight yesterday that has been waged for three years. All that time it has been endeavoring to get rid of the weigh scales of the New York & Cleveland Coal Company, in Hunter street. Yesterday the chief of police with a squad of Italians tore up the scales, piled them to one side and filled in the street.

Accepted Sculptor's Model—The joint committee of Allegheny councils appointed to select a site for the Col. James Anderson monument, to be presented to the city by Andrew Carnegie, yesterday inspected and accepted the model of Sculptor Baker. The southwest corner of the library building lot, at Ohio and Federal streets, was selected as the site. W. N. Frew, representing Mr. Carnegie, attended the meeting.

Meeting of Missionary Societies—The Women's missionary societies of the Reformed church convened yesterday in Trinity Reformed church, Wilkinsburg, Mrs. W. H. Grupen presiding. Reports from the different branches embraced in the classis were heard. Mrs. Cyrus Cort, recently returned from Japan, gave an interesting account of her labors in that country. Mrs. H. G. Durbin of New Kensington was elected president of the next convention. There were 20 delegates present.

Organizing Concrete Company—Several Pittsburghers, interested in building, are organizing the Pittsburgh Concrete Company to engage in concrete contracting in buildings. The company will apply for a Pennsylvania charter through Attorney A. C. Johnston on May 15. Its initial capital investment will be $10,000, and headquarters will be opened in the Hamilton building. The incorporators of the company are John W. Hallam, Samuel Garrison, C. S. Knaur, A. S. Patterson and James R. Pitcairn.

Italian on the Rampage—John Fabri, an Italian, living at No. 9 Burgess street, Allegheny, last night bore down on his home armed with a stiletto and a butcher knife. He made a dash for his step-son, who rushed from the house uninjured, while Mrs. Fabri locked herself in another room. Officer Robert Dickson, whom Fabri afterward tried to stab, brought the Italian to terms with his mace. Information was made against him by his step-son before Alderman Samuel Abernathy for surety of the peace.

Trust Company for Crafton—The Security Trust Company is being organized by a number of the citizens of Crafton, to operate in connection with the First National bank of Crafton. The trust company will capitalize at $125,000, and will occupy a part of the bank building. A Pennsylvania charter is to be secured May 23 through Attorney Davis S. McCann. Leading shareholders in the new company will be H. P. Goff, Andrew Johnston, Frank Armstrong, A. J. Beerman, A. S. Wal[illegible]s, George Rollings, James A. McAte[illegible]bert Martin and S. C. Cover. Mr. [illegible] is cashier of the bank.

BATTLE RAGED ON ROOF.

Non-Union Men Attempted to Repair Wires on Striking Linemen's Headquarters.

There was a fierce battle on a roof yesterday morning between linemen, and for 15 minutes persons looking from the windows of taller buildings adjoining expected that some of the men would be thrown from the roof.

Two linemen, who are willing to work, were sent to make some repairs to wires on the roof of the four-story building at No. 216 Wood street. The men were Henry Williams and John English. In that building the striking linemen have their headquarters.

Williams and English had no more than got to work before they were surprised to see heads on the fire escape and also coming up through a scuttle from inside the building. Five men emerged on the roof. Williams and English were ordered to make no splices and to quit. They refused and then the trouble began.

The workmen defended themselves with bricks and their tools as long as possible and then clinched with their assailants. Over and over on the roof they rolled. When the police arrived and climbed the fire escape all of the men had disappeared except Williams and one of the attacking party, who gave his name as Henry Kirkpatrick. These were arrested. They were not long locked up, as friends deposited forfeits for their appearance.

WAS AT SANTIAGO.

One of Iowa's Marines Died Yesterday in Mercy Hospital.

Thomas Ivison, 35 years of age, a machinist in the Edgar Thomson plant, Braddock, died in Mercy hospital yesterday morning of injuries received but a few hours before. Ivison, while on his way home from work after midnight, attempted to pass between two cars at the Thirteenth street crossing. He was knocked down by the cars and badly injured.

Ivison was an Englishman and lived with his brother at No. 421 Robinson street, Braddock. During the Spanish-American war he was a marine on the Iowa. He was slightly wounded in the battle of Santiago. He will be given a military burial this afternoon.

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DEATHS.

CARLIN—On Wednesday, April 30, 1902, at 3 a. m., MAGGIE J. CARLIN.
Funeral services will be held at her late residence, No. 18 California avenue, Allegheny, on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

CALLAHAN—On Thursday, May 1, 1902, at 1:35 p. m., MRS. BERTHA CALLAHAN, in her 27th year.
Funeral services at the residence of her sister, Mrs. James Barnard, 65 Congress street, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DONALDSON—On Wednesday, April 30, 1902, at 4:30 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. Angie Johnston, Penn township, Allegheny county, Pa., SADIE K. DONALDSON, in her 44th year.
Funeral services will be held at Hebron United Presbyterian church, Penn township, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

DRAHER—On Wednesday, April 30, 1902, at the family residence, 609 Jackson street, Allegheny city, ELIZABETH DRAHER, widow of William J. Draher.
Funeral from her late residence, Saturday, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

M'LAUGHLIN—On Thursday, May 1, 1902, at 3:40 p. m., JOHN J., only son of the late James and Mary Anne O'Leary McLaughlin, aged 46 years.
Funeral from the residence of his uncle, Thomas J. Murphy, 65 Pride street. Notice of services later.

MINNIS—On Thursday, May 1, 1902, at 10:15 a. m., at his residence, 7212 Susquehanna street, WILLIAM MINNIS, member of Charles D. Freeman lodge No. 1096, I. O. O. F., and Harrison Purple Star L. O. L. No. 64.

MORROW—On Thursday, May 1, 1902, at 8 a. m., MRS. ESTHER A. MORROW, wife of Ephriam Morrow, in her 72d year.
Funeral services at residence, Hampton township, Saturday, May 3, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'KNIGHT—On Wednesday, April 30, 1902, at 3 p. m., ANNA E., widow of David S. McKnight, in her 57th year.
Funeral services at her late residence, 527 Muriland avenue, East End, on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

SPANGLER—On Wednesday, April 30, 1902, at 5 p. m., LAWRENCE MILLER, son of George C. Spangler, aged 17 years.
Funeral services at her late residence, his sister, Mrs. George W. Hoffman, 109 Clifton avenue, Allegheny, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

WHITLEY—On Wednesday, April 30, 1902, at 2:15 p. m., SAMUEL J., eldest son of William and the late Mary Jane Whitley.
Funeral services at the family residence, 5120 Keystone avenue, on Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WALLACE—On Thursday afternoon, May 1, 1902, at 4 o'clock, SARAH B. WALLACE.
Funeral services at the residence of W. L. Coyle, 149 North Dithridge st., Bellefield, this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Interment private on Saturday morning.

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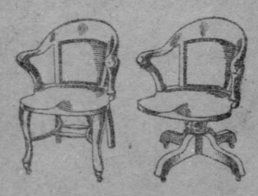

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FOURTEEN PAGES.

More Astounding Figures.

The compilation of facts in relation to the coke industry indicates a less degree of relief in that direction during April than has been reported in some other lines. Coke is the basis of all the great iron and steel manufacture which comprises so large a part of Pittsburgh's industry. The losses that have occurred cannot be recovered, but an adequate railroad expansion can prevent the continuation of existing conditions. The data presented by The Gazette during the past few days must be convincing to the least willing reader that Pittsburgh has suffered unduly from the want of shipping facilities.

There has been no effort at sensationalism in this matter. The figures published have been gathered from many sources, under difficulties and at great pains, but they are accurate, and may be verified by any one who has enough interest to expend the time and money required. The account is not all in. There are more facts and figures to come, and surely it is high time the railroads, the city authorities and the people of the Pittsburgh district should be wide awake to the necessity for looking after their manifest interests.

No Money for Filtration.

Controller Larkin is right in stopping expenditures on account of filtration. It is a wise business precaution, and, as such, is to be indorsed. The decision of the United States court has thrown the whole matter back upon councils, and until councils authorize expenditures no further financial liability should be assumed. The controller has given some days of grace that the city's interests may be protected, which is well, but until it has been decided whether the filtration enterprise shall be carried to completion it is in the interest of the taxpayers that no further material expense be incurred, and that the proceeds of the bond issue be preserved intact. Responsibility for subsequent proceedings is with councils, and with councilmanic sentiment so mixed, and the municipal legislature in so chaotic a state as has been brought about by the obstructive tactics in select council, it is probably a far cry to a solution of the pure water problem.

Good Work of Reform.

The closing of "Suicide Hall" and a number of other scarcely less notorious joints on the Bowery is a vindication of Mayor Low's administration in New York. Under Tammany rule those dens flourished without molestation, in fact, were encouraged. Their doors opened to the depraved and innocent alike, their management bred vice that led to despair and ended in death. Nothing worse than "Suicide Hall" could be found in the worst capitals of the Old World. The closing of these resorts is, in itself, a telling reply to the complaint—widely disseminated by the Tammany propaganda—that the reform administration in the metropolis has been a complete failure.

John Bull and His Critic.

The candid friend is as unwelcome an interloper in the affairs of a nation as he is in those of the family. Henry Labouchere, member of parliament, editor of Truth, millionaire and clubman, has just given John Bull the benefit of his laconic reflections upon business methods and commercial and social morality. He tells him that it is amusing to watch his movements at the march of the specialist and undertaker in which he has considered his own affairs. The gospel of salvation of mankind by the agency of British gold and British arms does not appeal to Mr. Labouchere as just the state of affairs which providence had arranged from the beginning to last for eternity. If the tables are turning there is no use in protesting against the progress of fate.

There is much in Mr. Labouchere's article which is both wise and witty. England has done much for what the editor of Truth calls the regeneration of mankind. She has done it in many ways unselfishly and without preconceived aims toward final results. But in doing so she has unquestionably inflicted much suffering and shed oceans of blood. She has hardly acquired a square mile of territory except at the point of the bayonet. Nor should it be forgotten that for centuries she has kept the usufruct of her possessions to herself. The "open door" has hardly stood ajar more than a generation. If, as Truth points out, America and Germany have invaded her home market while she was about her aggrandizing business all around the world, John Bull has no person to blame for it but himself. Poor man, he never sees the comic side of life like Mr. Labouchere.

Justice and the Burglar.

Five men are now behind the bars charged with the safeblowing and burglary at Crafton. If, as now appears highly probable, they prove to be the guilty ones, they will soon see the inside of the penitentiary. Two of those first arrested proved their innocence and were released. Their places were speedily taken by four others. The details of the capture are interesting and the fact that the men are in captivity should have as a result a diminution of the daring crimes that have recently startled the suburban communities. The penalty for burglary and safe blowing in Ohio has been recently increased, with a result that Pennsylvania towns are said to be suffering from the presence of crooks who have abandoned the Buckeye state. The men charged with the Crafton crime are said to be refugees from Ohio. It will be a good thing to have the Ohio invaders given a check thus early. In addition to retiring the particular gang it will teach others the danger attending the trade of the burglar in this region. Justice should be quickly done in this case.

Getting at the Facts.

The order for a courtmartial in the case of Maj. Glenn and others charged with extracting information from Filipinos by hydraulic pressure is another proof of the determination of the war department and President Roosevelt to effectually stop all inhumane, practices in the Philippine islands. The courtmartial of Gen. Smith, striking, as it did, at one in high place, was a guarantee that no favor would be shown to any person guilty of practices the American people cannot approve. The latest order for a courtmartial shows that a thorough investigation of all charges of cruelty and inhumanity is to be made. The pacification of the Philippines is the thing sought by all and there can be no pacification by terrorism. Only by winning the confidence of the people can the task of the United States be accomplished. At the same time judgment should be suspended until all the evidence for and against the accused officers is in and all the facts developed.

The Incident at Venice.

The Italian government has acquired a claim on the good will of the United States by releasing the American officers under sentence at Venice. The officers, however, as a preliminary "generously indemnified the parties claiming damages for injury," so that they may be in a sense considered to have purchased their liberty, even if they previously had earned deprivation of it. So far as Italy is concerned the matter is a closed incident, but for our government it is still open. The navy department has a duty to perform. There must be an inquiry into the conduct of the officers to ascertain in what degree they were culpable, and whether they merit either reprimand or punishment. They may have been mere victims of circumstances, but even if they were it is quite probable they have fared fully as well as Italians would have fared in some American ports under similar circumstances. In this country the national government might not have been able to bring its soothing influence to bear so quickly on the local authorities as was the case in Italy.

Peace Among Mill Workers.

Last year was marked by a bitter struggle between the Amalgamated association and the manufacturers, into which several affiliated trades organizations were drawn, but this year the prospect is entirely peaceful. Without any friction whatever the representatives of the workers and the mill interests came together before the convention assembled at Wheeling and speedily reached an agreement that appears to be satisfactory to all concerned. The re-adoption of the wage scales indicates an unusual degree of contentment on both sides, and the prompt settlement is largely due to the fact that the workers' negotiations are now mainly with large combinations instead of with individuals, as was the case for many years. Under the new system results are reached much sooner than they were under the old plan, and there is harmony where often formerly there was dissatisfaction.

Cuba Would Be Benefited.

President Havemeyer of the American Sugar Refining Company tells the senate committee on Cuban relations that the advantage of the proposed reduction in the tariff on Cuban sugar would go to the producers. Some sensitive souls appear to be afraid to do justice to Cuba, and give the island an opportunity to begin its independent existence under favorable circumstances, for fear the American Sugar Refining Company may in some way derive a benefit. The president of the sugar trust relieves this anxiety by his answers to the questions put to him. He was told of the allegation that if concessions were made to Cuba practically all the benefits would accrue to him and his fellow stockholders, and he was asked if this allegation were true. His reply was that there was no truth whatever in the statement. It is quite likely that Doubting Thomases will refuse to be convinced by Mr. Havemeyer. However this may be, the moral and material support the United States owes to Cuba has been shamefully delayed already. The 20 per cent reduction provided in the reciprocity bill is said by competent judges to be insufficient, but even this measure of relief is delayed. Assistance should be given to Cuba, and it should be given ungrudgingly.

The large investment in Twenty-first ward property, attributed to the Pennsylvania railroad, points to efforts to relieve the freight congestion from which Pittsburgh has so long suffered. There is good reason to believe that the Pennsylvania is really the buyer and that the result of its purchases will be a freight yard that will be capable of taking care of a large amount of freight business. This yard, however, is but one item of detail in the general situation, though a large and important one. It is proof—if all that is said be true—that the local freight problem is being looked at from a progressive viewpoint and that the needs of Pittsburgh are being considered in a broad and liberal spirit.

The withdrawal of Dr. McConnell from the senatorial contest in Beaver county will probably have an important bearing on the abolition of the county system in the making of congressional nominations in the Twenty-fourth district. It looks as though the time was near when there would be no use anywhere for conferees.

While Mr. Havemeyer testified that his company controls 65 per cent of the refined sugar trade of the United States, it must be admitted that a minority 35 per cent strong is a fairly healthy opposition, or would be if concentrated.

It is semi-officially announced that the division camp of the Pennsylvania National Guard will be held this year at Gettysburg. It is historic ground and the determination to hold it at this spot will be generally approved.

The people who railed at the appointment of P. C. Knox to the attorney generalship because he was supposed to be the friend of the trusts have now an opportunity to do some vigorous back-pedaling.

Some of Paderewski's admirers wept when he sailed away from New York on Tuesday. This will doubtless induce the great pianist to put his prices up a notch higher the next time he visits us.

The governor of North Carolina says he is ready to substitute the president in that famous query to the governor of South Carolina at any time and on a moment's notice.

Th. Nast, who earned an abiding reputation as a cartoonist, has arranged with the government to draw a salary.

Secretary Long went out of office yesterday as peacefully and tranquilly as May came in.

The price of beans has gone up in Boston and there is danger of a revolution in that city.

If Mr. Addicks is doing any letting go in Delaware he is not talking about it for publication.

Italy decides on second thought to let Uncle Sam do his own woodshed interviewing.

The queen of the May was given weather that thoroughly justified her early rising.

There was considerable shrinkage in the local "wet goods" market yesterday.

The senate sugar investigation is not all a matter of sweetness.

The Duty of the Packer.

From the Chicago Inter Ocean.

Any monopoly of a necessary of life is a thing so hateful in itself that no creator or beneficiary thereof can escape the suspicion that he is a public enemy. Until they are proved guilty of conduct warranting that suspicion the packers must be deemed innocent. But they cannot, in justice to themselves, merely keep silence and defy their accusers to prove their charges. Their duty is not only to prove that they have kept within the letter of the law. Their duty, not only to themselves, but to every man who would preserve the American ideal of individual property, is to prove affirmatively that they have not violated the spirit of the law.

SPEAKEASY IN THE CAPITOL.

Senate Restaurant Man Charged With Selling Liquor Without License.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—A warrant alleging violation of the liquor law in selling intoxicants without a license, was issued today against Theodore L. Page, who conducts the restaurant on the senate side of the Capitol.

It is alleged that the law has been violated at the Capitol since January 1.

Movement for an Actors' Exchange Begins

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, May 1.

An "actors' exchange" is projected in New York. Already subscriptions toward the enterprise have reached a goodly sum and it is believed that there will be little difficulty in raising the amount required to build a large edifice suitable for the purpose. The Actors' Society of America is at the back of the undertaking. In a circular just issued the secretary, G. H. MacIntyre, thus sets forth the purpose of the exchange and the conditions that make it desirable. He says: "Every summer the New York newspapers attack the actors for congregating on Broadway and obstructing the thoroughfare. This is done in a manner that is particularly exasperating, more so because these attacks have some foundation in fact, as the sidewalk is, to some extent, the actors' exchange. A few enthusiastic members of the society have started an idea which, when caught up by our profession, will spread like wildfire, and bring thousands of dollars to accomplish an object which will remove all cause for these attacks. It is nothing more nor less than an actors' society building, large enough to contain all the theatrical offices under one roof, with a main floor or hall like a stock exchange, where hundreds could meet without inconvenience to themselves or offense to others." The sidewalks of Broadway, from Herald square to Forty-second street, are crowded with actors, and if there is need for an "exchange," where actors could assemble and talk over their business, without impeding traffic, it is at this time of year. The building will be expensive and $20,000 or $30,000 will be only a drop in the bucket of total expense; but theatrical people can give benefit performances and raise money in many other ways, so that it looks as if the "actors' exchange" will be an existent fact before many years have rolled by. In fact, it must come sooner or later.

Molineux Trial Next Month.

It was announced today that the second trial of Roland B. Molineux will begin on the second of June. It would have begun before, but that Osborne, assistant district attorney, who will try the case, was so fatigued by the Patrick case that he needed a vacation. He is in Europe, but will be home some time this month.

Latest Victim of Suicide Epidemic.

There seems to be a suicide microbe flying about New York hotels just now. So many cases of sudden taking off by the act of the deceased have come to light lately that one cannot help wondering what is in the air with such depressing influence. Today's attempted suicide was a young man named Hawley, who was found in bed at the Hotel Navarre with a towel-cone soaked with chloroform enwrapping his face, while evidence that he had taken an overdose of morphine the night before was discovered by a physician. The young man was saved, but it was against his will. As is often the case in affairs of this kind, the despondent one seems to be in love with an "actress."

Harlem Too Ambitious.

Mayor Low said today that the city has been asked for $80,000,000 for hospitals and other institutions and cannot meet the demands. This was in answer to a delegation from the Harlem board of commerce, which waited on the mayor and asked for $175,000 more for the new Harlem hospital. The city already has appropriated $275,000, but the committee today declared that it was not enough. The Harlem hospital is to be an extensive affair, but it looks as if Harlemites will have to get along without that $175,000.

A Guion Dies in a Charity Hospital.

A scion of a New York house that once was known from the Pacific coast to the British isles died in the great charity hospital of Bellevue this morning. He was Stanton Guion. He attempted to commit suicide in his Fifth avenue apartments on April 21, was taken to Bellevue, placed in the prison ward on a charge of attempted suicide and was thought likely to recover; but he died early today. The Guion steamship line was as well known as the Cunard or White Star is today, and the family was immensely wealthy. Perhaps, if it had not been, Stanton Guion would be alive tonight. The line was absorbed by other steamship companies long ago, but the family name is still well remembered in New York.

Cleveland Home from Hunting Trip.

President Cleveland has got home from duck hunting and fishing. In spite of the scoring he received in a New York paper a few days ago for his cruelty in shooting ducks, the ex-president did not seem to be annoyed when he reached his home in Princeton today, according to all reports. He said he felt better and had enjoyed his trip, but did not express any contrition over the number of ducks he had slain.

Byrnes Longs for the Harness.

Thomas Byrnes, formerly superintendent of police in this city, is quoted as saying today that "the abuses in the police department can be stamped out in 30 days with the right kind of man at head of the department." In view of the persistent rumor that Byrnes may be commissioner of police before long this opinion by him is significant. He is more than 60 years of age, but is as vigorous in mind and body as ever he was. While he is understood to be well-to-do in money matters, Byrnes never has been happy since he left police headquarters to become an ordinary citizen. He has been employed by private concerns as a detective, and has had an independent detective agency of his own; but his inclinations are all toward the New York police department and there is little reason to believe he would refuse the commissionership were it tendered to him. The general opinion is that it will be.

Battle-Scarred Brooklyn at Home.

Still bearing the scars of wounds received at the battle of Santiago, when she was Admiral Schley's flagship, the armored cruiser Brooklyn steamed up New York harbor this morning. The sturdy old vessel looked well, in spite of the sharp experiences she has had in the last four years. An admiral's flag flew gaily from her masthead. It was the flag of Rear Admiral George C. Remey, late commander-in-chief of the United States naval forces in the Philippines, who has been relieved by Rear Admiral Rodgers. The Brooklyn will go out of commission for some months to allow of a general overhauling. She left Manila March 1 and came home by way of the Indian ocean, Suez canal and Mediterranean.

Rialto Rows.

The Rialto had a treat today in the fight at the Casino. What the actors in Broadway do enjoy in the off season is some kind of excitement, with pistols, preferably. The pistols were out at the Casino, and if no one was shot it was only because the contestants backed away from each other when firearms were flashed in the sun. Rows are not uncommon at the Casino. There have been many disputes between old and new lessees of this theater over and over again in the last 10 years. Rudolph Aronson fought to hold possession of the house when Canary & Lederer took it; Lederer fought to keep the Sires out, and now the Sires are fighting to keep the Shuberts out. What will be the end of it all no one seems to know tonight, although the prevailing opinion is that the Sires will retire in good order when their demands against the Bixby estate, which owns the property, have been satisfied. But there were gunpowder and clashing steel this afternoon enough to furnish one of those sword-play romantic dramas that have been so popular on the stage for the last five years.

The Rise in Sandwich Prices.

A hot roast beef sandwich, which used to be one of the staple articles on the bill of fare of a Park row restaurant at 15 cents, is now sold at 20 cents, and there is much growling at the beef trust in Printing House square in consequence. At most restaurants steaks are sold at an advance of from 5 to 25 cents, according to size and quality. This does not disturb ordinary frequenters of restaurants, however. The sufferers from the rise in the price of beef are in the tenement districts, where the beef for a family for a week often does not cost more than is spent by a bon vivant in a restaurant for one meal.

Dewey Interviewed on Dewey Day.

This is the fourth anniversary of the battle of Manila bay, and one of the New York papers interviewed Admiral Dewey in his home in Washington by long-distance telephone. Among other things, Admiral Dewey is quoted as saying: "Admiral Dewey has not forgotten Manila bay, nor will he ever forget to be grateful for his countrymen's appreciation of the work done by him, his officers and men." This is pleasant to hear from the man who was the nation's hero four years ago and who still holds a warm place in the hearts of most of his countrymen.

The Genteel Plaza Changes Hands.

Now that a syndicate has purchased the Plaza hotel for $3,000,000 it is probable that this magnificent property, occupying as it does one of the most beautiful sites in New York, will become even more fashionable than it has been. It is at Fifth avenue and Fifty-ninth street, which most Pittsburghers will remember is at the lower entrance to Central park. It always has been a quiet hotel, where exclusiveness and wealth have been in the ascendant. Whether there is room for another rendezvous for fashion, like the Waldorf-Astoria, at this point, remains to be seen. It may not be the intention of the syndicate to change the character of the Plaza, but gossip says that it will.

Beautiful New Temples of Trade.

Herald square begins to show what it will look like when the big store buildings from Thirty-third to Thirty-fifth streets are completed. In the block between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, where a large building for Sachs & Co. is going up, the marble and stone front is up one story, showing that the completed building will be as elegant in appearance as any mercantile house in the city. The Macy building in the next block, many times larger than the Sachs edifice, is almost up, so far as its steel frame is concerned. The work goes on day and night, and hundreds of tons of Pittsburgh pillars and girders are put together every 24 hours. None of the stone work has been done yet, but as soon as the steel skeleton is in position it will not take long to close it all in. By this time next year Herald square will be a pleasant place to visit, and shoppers will throng the sidewalks which used to be given up to actors and habitues of the Tenderloin.

Christening of Water Ambulance.

The first "water ambulance" ever put into service will be launched at Bayonne, N. J., tomorrow afternoon. The craft has been especially constructed for the St. John's guild floating hospitals in New York, and will run between those hospitals and the Seaside hospital at Newdorp, Staten Island. The vessel will run by electricity and will be fitted with beds and other conveniences, making it a complete hospital for temporary use. Isaac N. Seligman paid for the building of the boat and he will present it to St. John's guild. It will be christened by Mrs. Seligman by the Japanese method. No wine or water is to be used. A large ball of flowers will be suspended in front of the boat. This floral ball will be drawn away by Mrs. Seligman and then let go. As it hits the prow the ball will open and two white doves will fly out. They will rise in the air and then fly off to their cotes. When the ball touches the boat Mrs. Seligman will name the craft the Margaret, in honor of the daughter of Isaac N. Seligman. The boat will then glide into the water.

Prizes in Store for Policemen.

Three thousand policemen of Manhattan and the Bronx will go through an examination on Saturday at the Grand Central palace to decide which of them shall be made roundsmen. The order came suddenly from police headquarters, and the valiant patrolmen, who have been saying that they were not afraid of any examination, declare that they ought to have had at least ten days in which to get their ideas together. They will all be at the examination, however, each comforting himself with the thought that he knows as much as the other fellows, anyhow.

Irish Immigration Reviving.

The White Star steamship Majestic, which arrived here today, brought over 900 steerage passengers, the greater part of them from Ireland. Among them were more than 400 girls, and of this number more than 100 were given shelter and care by Father Henry of the Mission of Our Lady of the Rosary while waiting to hear from friends to secure employment. Since April a sudden influx of immigrants from Ireland to this city has been noticeable. The White Star, Cunard and Anchor line ships arriving here for the last few weeks have been bringing boys and girls in such numbers as to remind the immigration officials of the days of old Castle garden, when Ireland furnished the largest number of persons seeking admission to this port. GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
L. Brown, J. A. Dean, Miss M. W. Dean, E. M. O'Neill, F. G. Hay, N. A. Hemphill, L. C. Bihler, Miss E. Bihler.

MARLBOROUGH.
Joe Segall.

HERALD SQUARE.
Albert Hamilton, James H. Graham, T. L. Brown.

HOLLAND.
M. A. Verner, W. K. Dunlap, A. O. Fording, Mrs. A. O. Fording.

STURTEVANT.
Robert Ofer.

VICTORIA.
W. A. Aiken, John N. Pratt, Mrs. John N. Pratt.

HOFFMAN.
E. G. Butz.

ALBEMARLE.
William H. Hays.

FIFTH AVENUE.
Thomas R. Riter, C. H. Kerr, Miss Flaccus, A. H. Burchfield, Mrs. C. H. Kerr, Mrs. A. H. Burchfield, C. L. Flaccus.

BROADWAY CENTRAL.
S. Lando.

ASTOR.
Thomas C. Peans, E. V. McCandless.

WAGNER MUSIC TONIGHT.

Attractive Program Offered by the Pittsburgh Orchestra.

A fairly good audience was present at Duquesne garden last night. The first symphony program given by Victor Herbert and the Pittsburgh orchestra in the series of popular concerts was rendered. The second part was made up entirely of bona fide symphony selections, although the first part was, generally speaking, built on symphonic proportions.

The third portion contained a grand fantasie from "Aida," a Strauss waltz, and closed with one of Herbert's marches. Most of the lighter numbers were insistently encored, drawing from the program to truly popular length, and in most cases the encores were given with a grace and spirit which made them decidedly welcome. Tonight is Wagner night and the program follows:

March, "The Fortune Teller".....Herbert
Overture, "Le roi l'a dit".....Delibes
Tarantella for Flute and Clarinet...Saint-Saens
Messrs. Heindorf and Mealer.
Polonaise in E Major.....Liszt
INTERMISSION.
Spinning Song and Sailors' Chorus, from "The Flying Dutchman"; Siegmund's Love Son, from "Die Walkure"; Quintette, from "Die Meistersinger;" Prelude and Liebestod, from "Tristan and Isolde".....Wagner
INTERMISSION.
From Suite, "The Nations," (a) Italian; (b) German; (c) Spanish.....Moskowski
Waltz, "Stories From the Vienna Woods".....Strauss
Air de Ballet (Orchestra by Victor Herbert).....Chaminade
Fantasie, from "The Amer".....Herbert

PERSONALS.

Omicron graduate chapter of the Phi Gamma Delta college fraternity gave an informal dinner at the Hotel Henry last night in honor of George W. Guthrie, Allegheny county's candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination. Of the 300 members of this alumni chapter of Western Pennsylvania, most of whom are in Pittsburgh, about 75 were present. According to the custom of the last few years Founder's day of the fraternity was commemorated at the same time. The first chapter of Phi Gamma Delta was organized May 1, 1848, at old Jefferson college, Cannonsburg, Pa. Many of the active and alumni chapters throughout the country observe this day. Among those present were: The Rev. R. A. McKinley, Steubenville, O.; Antes L. Snyder, Bleirsville, Pa.; the Rev. J. A. Wood, Jr., Dr. Thomas W. Gayson, Washington, Pa.; Dr. Stuart Patterson, the Hon. Samuel B. Griffith, A. S. Freeman, Steubenville, O.; William T. Dorn, Jr., Greensburg; Dr. Edward B. Heckel, the Hon. J. W. Lee, the Hon. G. W. Delamater, Dr. W. C. Bryant, Dr. W. K. T. Sahn, Dr. Thomas D. Davis, the Rev. J. M. Potter, Brilliant, O.; Dr. E. R. Myers, Allan W. Urmson, New Castle, Pa.; H. M. Wilson, Sharon, Pa.; Dr. Robert C. Craig, the Rev. Calvin Haslett, New Texas, Pa.; W. A. Jones, Morgantown, W. Va.; Charles D. Fuller, Latrobe, Pa.; Russell C. Knight and Horace T. Knight, Greensburg, Pa.; the Rev. William O. Staub, the Hon. John Ewing and Sterling Valentine, Dunbar, Pa. The remainder were from Pittsburgh or the immediate vicinity. Dr. T. D. Davis, president of the alumni association, presided at the banquet and acted as toastmaster. The following speakers responded informally to toasts: George W. Guthrie, the Hon. John Ewing, George W. Delamater, the Rev. R. A. McKinley of Steubenville, O., and Stuart Eagleson of Cleveland.

"From my personal knowledge of Andrew Carnegie I believe that he was not jesting in the least when he informed a party of New York newspaper men before his departure for Europe that he intended to establish a string of newspapers in the United States," said Charles McWinston of Glasgow, Scotland, who was a passenger on the Pennsylvania limited last night. "Mr. Carnegie has nothing to do now but spend his money. I have known him for several years, and it always seemed to me that he was tiring of giving libraries to perpetuate his name. He has written books, and I do not believe he finds that task a pleasing one. But Mr. Carnegie as a managing and directing editor of a newspaper would be a title that he has wanted for many years. Mr. Carnegie is peculiar in many respects. He has his own ideas on almost every question, and while he can reach and educate a greater part of the masses through his gifts of libraries, he can educate more people by means of a newspaper, and that is what he will seek to do."

Gen. A. J. Warner of Marietta, O., who is manager of the North Georgia Electric Company of Gainesville, Ga., arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday morning and spent the day purchasing electric motors from the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company. Gen. Warner, at the Seventh Avenue hotel last night, took occasion to throw a few hot shots into the camp of the Republicans by the following remark: "The shifting Republicans occupy the same position now that the slave-holding Democrats did in the '50's, while the Democrats of the present day are uniting on good old Jeffersonian grounds."

Forty members of the Old Reliable Railroad Conductors' Life Insurance association of the United States and Canada left Pittsburgh last night for the City of Mexico to attend the twenty-third annual convention. Many of the conductors were accompanied by their wives and the party occupied a special car. The following Pittsburghers were members of the party: W. B. Chislett, S. S. Miller, G. C. Patterson, J. R. Campbell, P. E. Oliver, J. A. Dinsmore, Louis Johnson, C. A. Bentley, J. Swelgart, Ralph Forrester, C. T. Montgomery and N. E. Hazlett.

W. M. McFarland, acting vice-president of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, will deliver a lecture on "Electric Power Distribution in Manufacturing" at Cornell university on Friday, May 9. Different systems of distribution and their relative advantages will be discussed, and the manner of applying electric motors to machinery will be illustrated by stereopticon views.

Pittsburgh Visitors Yesterday.

The following visitors from nearby towns were registered at the leading downtown hotels last night:

Henry—E. F. Wood, C. B. Keiser, Altoona, Pa.; E. R. Meyers, Huntingdon, Pa.; G. B. Nelson, Conneaut Lake, Pa.; L. A. Wright, Sharon, Pa.; J. W. Carnes, Chadwick, Pa.; Walton Miller, Fairmont, W. Va.

Newel's—J. H. Ellsworth, Bradford, Pa.; J. M. Sampson, Punxsutawney, Pa.; W. L. Noble, Wheeling, W. Va.

Monongahela—W. P. Banney, Erie, Pa.; A. J. Findlay, Franklin, Pa.

Lincoln—W. F. Butler, Steubenville, O.; R. C. Mercer, Scottdale, Pa.

Anderson—James W. Weller, Zanesville, O.; F. N. Stewart, New Cumberland, W. Va.

Seventh Avenue—A. M. McClain, Ridgeway, Pa.; S. S. Biller, Canal Dover, O.; C. P. Pannabaker, Ebensburg, Pa.; James C. Brocken, Greenville, Pa.

Duquesne—F. R. Williams, Punxsutawney, Pa.; W. C. Gordon, Wheeling, W. Va.

The Rule Holds Good Now.

From the Philadelphia Press.

That so-called unwritten law that forbids the nomination for governor of a member of the state administration works all right this time, but when a state administration behaves itself there is no reason why any fit man connected with it should not be nominated for governor or anything else.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Miss Sarah B. Wallace.

Miss Sarah B. Wallace, one of the oldest and most trusted employes of Horne & Stewart, Fifth avenue, near Market street, died yesterday afternoon at the West Penn hospital. Miss Wallace had been ill for about four weeks, and an operation was performed in the hope of saving her life, but peritonitis set in and caused her death. She was born in Allegheny in December, 1848, and for the past 20 years had been in the employ of Horne & Stewart, for many years having had charge of the lace department. She lived in South Bithridge street, Beliefield, Oakland. Miss Wallace had no relatives in this section.

William Minnis.

William Minnis died yesterday morning at his home, No. 7212 Susquehanna street, East End. He was a native of County Down, Ireland, and came to the United States in 1858. He is survived by his widow, four sons, James, William J., David A. and Samuel Minnis, and five daughters, Mrs. John C. Abel, Mrs. E. R. Koerner and the Misses Susie, Elatta and Emma Gibson Minnis. He was a member of Charles D. Freeman lodge No. 1036, I. O. O. F., and Harrison Purple Star, No. 64, L. O. L.

Jacob R. Greer.

NEW YORK, May 1.—(Special)—Jacob R. Greer, father of Rev. Dr. David H. Greer of St. Bartholomew's church, died Tuesday at Pasadena, Cal. Mr. Greer was 87 years old, and lived most of his life in Wheeling, W. Va. He was a merchant and widely known through the south and west. He leaves two sons and a daughter.

James S. McNary.

CANONSBURG, PA., May 1.—James S. McNary died at his home near here last night. He was 92 years old. Mr. McNary was widely known for his philanthropy. His father, John McNary, was one of the early settlers of Washington county. James S. McNary was active in church circles and was a leader in the abolition movement previous to the civil war.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. James Elliott died at her home in East Pittsburgh early yesterday morning after a brief illness. She is survived by her husband and four children.

Patrick W. Grogan, 79 years old, is dead at his home in Bekert street, Allegheny. He was one of the early iron workers and lived in Woods Run all his life.

Miss Sadie K. Donaldson, 44 years old, is dead at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Annie Johnston, in Penn township. She was a member of the Hebron United Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Bertha Callahan, 27 years old, died yesterday afternoon. The funeral will be held from the home of her sister, Mrs. James Bullard, No. 65 Congress street, tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Schmidtchen, 47 years old, wife of Henry Schmidtchen, a South Side saloonkeeper, is dead at her home, No. 124 South Twenty-first street. She was president of Branch No. 83, L. C. B. A.

John J. McLaughlin, 46 years old, a well-known young business man in Pittsburgh, died yesterday afternoon at the Mercy hospital, where he had been confined for some time through illness.

Word has been received in Pittsburgh of the death of Joseph Parke McClellan at Bluefields, W. Va. He was formerly a well-known master mechanic and electrician of Pittsburgh. He was 45 years old and is survived by his widow.

BALTIMORE FEARS IT MAY BE SIDETRACKED

Once More Victory Slips Through the Fingers of the Fullers—Three Tidewater Terminals.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BALTIMORE, MD., May 1.—Just as victory seemed to be within their grasp a bomb landed in the Fuller camp tonight that blew the Western Maryland railroad so far away from them that it may never land in their midst. So certain were a majority of those concerned that the Fuller ordinance would finally pass the city council tonight that an acceptance of the Fuller syndicate's bid had been prepared and Mayor Hayes even had selected a pen with which to sign the ordinance in the morning. Now the Fuller ordinance has been postponed until Monday.

Tonight's setback to the Fullers was due to the dramatic arraignment of the syndicate deal in the council last night by Maj. Venable. Tonight in the council Maj. Venable asked that the ordinance be held over until Monday and by a unanimous vote of 5 to 4 the motion prevailed.

Maj. Venable said he had read in the Wall Street Journal that the Gould syndicate had practically acquired three terminals for their Wabash system, one in Philadelphia, through the Philadelphia & Reading, another at Jersey City and the last at Baltimore. This, the major contended, meant that Baltimore would be sidetracked. Councilman Smith said that he had a conference with Mr. Pierce, Mr. Gould's personal representative, and that he had been authorized to state publicly in the council that Mr. Gould had never bought 5 cents' worth of Reading stock or had any intention of so doing. To this Maj. Venable answered that if Mr. Gould had not made such purchases he believed his agents had done so.

RETAIL BUTCHERS AFRAID TO TESTIFY

Assistant Attorney General of Missouri Could Get No Evidence Against Beef Trust.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

KANSAS CITY, MO., May 1.—E. C. Crow, attorney general of Missouri, and his assistant, S. B. Jeffries, arrived in this city from Jefferson City to get evidence to prove that there is a packing trust. Mr. Jeffries had a conference with several retail butchers.

Later he said: "There is a beef trust operating in Missouri and we can crush it by law if the retail butchers will help the attorney general and myself to get evidence. However, the butchers that I met here today fear the power of the packers and for that reason it is very difficult for me to get the evidence that is needed."

After much effort he persuaded a number of retail butchers to meet him. The conference was held behind closed doors and all the butchers asked Jeffries not to make public their names. The meeting was so secret that neither the meeting place nor the names of any of the butchers were divulged. After the conference Mr. Jeffries said: "I could not get satisfactory replies from the butchers.

"I will have some Kansas City butchers in Jefferson City when the case comes up Tuesday, but I will be compelled to ask the supreme court to order them to appear. The packers' combine seems to be more powerful in Kansas City than in St. Louis or St. Joseph. There is no butchers' union here, and I have reason to believe the packers have prevented the retail butchers from organizing."

New Sketch by Pittsburghers.

When the curtain is rung down on the last act of "Kidnaped in New York," at the Empire theater, Collins avenue, East End, tonight, the stage will be immediately cleared and a set prepared for the first performance of "A Stage Struck Bunch," which will be produced for the first time under the auspices of Manager E. J. McCullough. The sketch will be performed by three Pittsburghers, Ethel Whitesides, her brother, Master Fred Whitesides, and Helen Grey, who have given creditable performances at various benefits hereabouts during the winter months. As those who are to participate in the sketch are well known, being born and bred Pittsburghers, it is likely a large audience will be on hand to witness their professional debut.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
New York		Grosser Kurfurst
New York		Furst Bismarck
New York		La Savoie
Montevideo	Nicaria	
Liverpool	Westernland	Dominion
Liverpool	Pennsylvania	Cymeric
	Commonwealth	Pretorian
London	Menominee	
Havre	La Touraine	
Havre	Herodat	
Queenstown		Germanic
Queenstown		Ryndam
Genoa	Palatia	Ems
Naples	Aller	
Rotterdam		Noordam

Father Pitt—"There Ought to Be More of You to Keep That Heap Down."

THE MAN UP A TREE

From a High Viewpoint.

May promises to give June a close race for the most popular matrimonial month.

Paderewski says he will come back. Now let everybody save up some dollars.

The sowing of wild oats is not restricted to the usual planting season.

Another of the queer things is that contracts for army beef are being made at lower prices than prevail

MR. HAVEMEYER READY TO FIGHT BEET MEN AGAIN

Tells Senate Committee How Trust Sold Below Cost to Meet Competition.

HE BOUGHT CUBAN LAND

Transaction Was His Own, Not His Company's, and He Objects to Answering Questions About It. Cubans Not Dependent Upon U. S.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., May 1.—The inquiry into the present holding of Cuban sugar and Cuban sugar lands, ordered by the senate, was begun today by the sub-committee on Cuban relations. President Henry O. Havemeyer of the American Sugar Refining Company was the first witness.

Replying to questions by Senator Platt Mr. Havemeyer said his company was generally known as the sugar trust. "Since early in February his company had purchased in Cuba 50,000 tons, or 250,000 bags, of sugar, or about 10 days' supply.

"We have bought, all told," said he, "80,000 tons of Cuban sugars during the present year, or about three-fourths of a month's supply, our consumption being about 35,000 tons a week."

"Do you control any sugar in Cuba other than that purchased?"

"None whatever, in any manner."

"Have you taken any options on Cuban sugars?"

"I have not."

"So that you wish to be understood as saying that the amount you have mentioned as purchased represents your entire interest, direct and indirect, in Cuban sugar?"

"That is the statement I make."

Refines Half the Country's Sugar.

He added that the percentage of this company's product compared to the entire sugar consumption of the United States is about 50 per cent.

"Cuba has to sell her sugar in this market, hasn't she?"

"No, that is not true; she can sell in England, for instance, if she is desirous to do so. England could take the entire Cuban crop."

"Suppose the United States should make a concession of, say, 20 or 25 per cent in the tariff rates on Cuban sugar; couldn't you refuse to buy the Cuban product except at your own rates and thus secure the benefit of the concession?"

"In no way," was the reply. "Cuba would be under no obligations to sell to us, because, as I have said, the Cuban producers could find other markets."

Mr. Havemeyer reiterated repeatedly that in case the suggested concession is made the sugar trust will be in a position to oblige producers to make such reductions that you will secure the entire benefit of the legislation. It that true?"

"We could not 'oblige' any reduction. In case of a concession to Cuban sugar the price might be lowered, say, one-sixteenth of a cent a pound; but that would be nothing as compared to the reduction in the tariff rate, which would amount to about one-third of a cent a pound."

Admits He Bought Sugar Land.

In reply to another series of questions Mr. Havemeyer said his company, as such, holds no sugar lands in Cuba; but he added that he had himself made some purchases there, but that he did not consider it legitimate to compel him to reply to questions pertaining to these interests.

Asked by Mr. Teller whether he was still buying sugar in Cuba, he said: "We are still trying to buy, but we have not succeeded in making any purchases since April 26, when the sugar was withdrawn from the market on account of improved chances of securing the American concession."

"You regard the beet sugar producers as competitors of yours?"

"I certainly do; there is what you might call commercial rivalry. The beet sugar makers undertook to control the market by contracts with dealers which I considered in restraint of trade. Consequently, we reduced the price until our trade was restored to us, keeping it down to the lowest point for about two weeks."

He denied having notified beet sugar producers that he intended to keep up the war until he should drive them out of business.

Ready to Get at Them Again.

"Under these conditions," asked Mr. Teller, "where are the beet sugar men to sell their product?"

"I don't know. That is their business, and they won't tell me, because they know that if they did I would get at them again."

Mr. Havemeyer declared, however, that he had no intention of driving the beet sugar industry out of the country, but that he had put down the price to less than cost in order to secure his share of trade.

"For that purpose," he said, "I will go as far as my directors will allow me, as long as there is any money in our treasury. They took my customers by unfair terms, agreeing to beat any price that I would make, and that is what I objected to."

NEW CAPTAIN APPOINTED.

Capt. Allen Harger Will Command Excursion Steamer Torrance.

Capt. Allen W. Harger has been appointed master of the excursion steamer Francis T. Torrance and will take charge of the vessel in a few days. Capt. Edward McLaughlin will be her pilot and Jackson Ward mate.

Capt. Harger is a son of Capt. Holmes Harger, Sr., and a brother of Capt. Holmes Harger, Jr., all well-known Ohio river masters and pilots. Capt. Allen Harger is one of the pilots of the Boaz this trip, he having brought the boat up the Ohio from Louisville, the Boaz having come here from New Orleans. Capt. Harger had charge of the excursion steamer Elizabeth last season. He is a young man, possessed of that sterling integrity which makes good steamboatmen. Capt. Ira Hutchinson last season trod the deck of the Francis T. Torrance, but Capt. Huntington is at present on the packet Helen Gould, a Kanawha river steamer.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Charles E. Wilson	Pittsburgh
Margaret M. McChesney	Pittsburgh
Julius Walter	Allegheny
Mary Lagocetich	Allegheny
Stephen Kuzzel	Washington County
Maria Kerasman	Washington County
Andrew Young	Homestead
Mary Quinn	Homestead
J. Morrow Maxwell	Turtle Creek
Lois M. Blake	Braddock
Carl May	Allegheny
Mary Pittenwright	Braddock
William Wadsworth	Pittsburgh
Carson Williams	Pittsburgh
David R. Beggs	Wilkinsburg
Agnes S. Amble	Pittsburgh
William Bagstine	Millvale
Maude L. Faulks	Pittsburgh
Karl Zieherl	Pittsburgh
Justina Hempon	Pittsburgh
Mike Karabinos	Pittsburgh
Mary Tarnowski	Pittsburgh
Joseph Iacona	Pittsburgh
Rosario Takaca	Pittsburgh

Bartlett Furnace—Warm House.
S. C. Bartlett Co., 602-604 Liberty st

STOPPAGES ON FIRST OF MAY

INDICATIONS POINT TO AN EARLY ADJUSTMENT.

Nothing of an Exciting Nature Developed Yesterday Over May-Day Demand for Increased Wages—The Latest Reports from Other Cities.

Nine of the organized building trades of the Pittsburgh district were involved in the May-day demand for increased wages. Nothing of an exciting nature developed yesterday and the indications are that the strikes instituted will be of short duration. Only a limited number of the plumbers were out for any time at all and today will see nearly all of them at work. Structural iron workers came out and tied up considerable work. About a third of the bricklayers remained at work, their scale having been signed by employers who are not members of the Builders' Contractors' association.

Plasterers, having closed their agreement, remained at work regardless of a strike of the hod carriers. William J. Kelly, who has charge of the strike of the carpenters, said that employers of fully three-fourths of the men had met the advanced wage, no contracts being called for.

Many Signatures to Scales.

Employers of about one-third of the sheet metal workers are reported to have signed the agreement for an advance of 20 cents a day in wages.

Slate and tile roofers secured the signatures of employers of over half of their men to their new agreement. The wage is the same as last year, 45 cents an hour, but the employers objected to some of the working rules. The wiremen stated last night that employers of one-third of the men had entered into a new agreement. The wood and metal lathers also reported success with a number of their employers. Their proposition is to put the wood lathers on a day wage instead of the piece work system.

The tile setters' helpers have made agreements with about half of their employers.

Smoky City lodge, boilermakers, presented a demand for a 10 per cent wage advance for shop workers, to take effect June 1. The lodge only last week settled a strike for a wage advance of the members working outside.

The Allegheny valley trades council will hold a special meeting Sunday afternoon at Tarentum, at which Vice President T. L. Lewis of the national organization will make an address. Action is expected in support of the striking miners of the Allegheny valley.

The Master Builders' association last night voted unanimously against paying carpenters $3.50 a day and members who did pay this rate yesterday agreed to stop it. It was stated that some of the contractors are keeping their men at work at $3.25 a day, with the understanding that if a higher rate is established it will be met.

Strikes in Outside Towns.

Numerous small strikes took place in the manufacturing towns of Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio. At Rochester several iron workers engaged in building the National Glass Company's plant quit work. Operations continue on the mill of the Colonial Steel Company at Monaca. In New Castle there was no trouble. All the scales of the building trades have been signed on the basis of the eight-hour day. At South Sharon there was a strike by the structural steel workers of the American Bridge Company. Building tradesmen struck in Youngstown, O., but many of them will resume work today. At Bellaire, O., workmen on the Baltimore & Ohio bridge quit, and the employes of the American Sewer Pipe Company struck in Toronto, O. In a few other neighboring towns there were strikes by carpenters, which are not expected to last many days.

In Philadelphia May day was quiet. Most of the wage disputes have been adjusted. There were a few strikes by granite cutters in New England. In Massachusetts many of the weavers of the American Woolen Company suspended labor. Small strikes of machinists are reported from New York city and New Jersey. Electrical workers struck in Paterson, N. J. In Reading, Pa., all the planing mills were closed. The principal striking in Buffalo was by carpenters.

Few stoppages are reported from the west. Carpenters refrained from work in Bay City, Port Huron, St. Paul and some other cities. No difficulty was reported from Chicago.

Luncheon for Mrs. Bullions.

Mrs. William R. Blair was hostess at a luncheon yesterday afternoon at her home in Bidwell street, Shadyside. The guest of honor was Mrs. Bullions of Albany. Covers were laid for 10 and the luncheon table was exquisitely decorated with a large basket of yellow marguerites, the same yellow blossoms lying in clusters at each cover. Among the guests were Mrs. Bullions, Mrs. Harvey Childs, Jr., Mrs. James I. Kay, Mrs. Dawson Speer, Miss Mary Speer and Mrs. Herman Griffin.

Last evening Miss Clarkson entertained at an informal dinner in honor of Mrs. Bullions.

Two Evening Card Parties.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Reas of Bellevue will issue invitations soon for two evening card parties, which they will give at their handsome new home "Pinery," in Orchard avenue, Monday and Tuesday evenings, May 19 and 20. There will be no especial guest of honor, the affair to be a sort of housewarming, as their new home has just been completed.

Celebrate a Golden Wedding.

The golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Petrie of Robinson township, near Moon Run, will be held on Tuesday, May 6, at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Petrie have lived in this vicinity for many years, and their relatives and descendants number several hundred. They have two daughters and four sons living.

A Mohammedan Wedding.

Grace Reformed church Sunday school, Grant street and Webster avenue, will give an unique entertainment this evening. It will consist of the picturesque ceremony of a Mohammedan wedding by a company of Syrians in their brilliant native oriental costume. A fine musical program will be given during the evening.

A MODEL HEALTH RESORT.

The East End Sanitarium, 344 Shetland avenue, East End, near Lincoln avenue. It is the only Sanitarium in Pennsylvania that administers Dr. S. G. White's three weeks' specific for liquor, morphine and other drug diseases. The cure is safe, sure and positive, leaving the system in a normal and healthy condition. Our patients go home satisfied and remain so. Take Lincoln avenue cars, get off at Shetland avenue; by steam cars take Pennsylvania railroad to East Liberty station. Write or call for booklet. F. M. White, Business Manager, 344 Shetland avenue, East End, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Society.

MAY DAY was observed yesterday by a notable social affair. "Old Orchard," the beautiful home of Mrs. Charles Arbuthnot and her daughter, Mrs. Franklin Robinson, opened its hospitable doors and entertained 350 friends of the two hostesses. The springtime pervaded every feature of the affair, which was a luncheon, beautifully appointed and preceded by a short formal reception. "Old Orchard" is one of the most beautiful of the large estates in the East End, the house being surrounded by well-kept lawns, while orchards filled with blossoming trees add to its beauty. The luncheon was served within doors, but the beauty and fragrance of the gardens and the orchard allowed the guests to enjoy the attractions of the grounds.

Mrs. Charles Arbuthnot and Mrs. Robinson, with Mrs. Charles Arbuthnot, Jr., and Miss Robinson, formed the receiving group. From 1 o'clock until 3 they received their guests, who passed from the drawing-rooms to the dining-room. The decorations of the house were typical of the spring season. Apple blossoms formed the wall decorations, while great bowls of fragrant peach and pear blossoms added to the unconventional effect. In the drawing-room, where the hostesses received, the same May flowers were massed in beautiful vases and the decorations culminated in the dining-room, where the blossoms were lavishly employed.

The luncheon was one of the largest and most elaborate social entertainments of the season, as well as one of the most delightful. The guests included the older married women and also members of the younger social circles in the East End and Shadyside.

Mrs. Arbuthnot and Robinson will be at home on the second and third Saturdays in May.

Lambie-Beggs.

The Eighth United Presbyterian church last evening was filled with friends to witness the marriage of Miss Aimee Sioussa Lambie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Lambie, and Dr. David R. Beggs. The wedding ceremony was performed at 7:30 o'clock by the pastor of the church, the Rev. J. M. Wallace, assisted by the Rev. M. M. Patterson of Wilkinsburg. Five hundred invitations were issued for the wedding, but the reception, which followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lambie in Cliff street, was limited to the relatives and most intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom.

The wedding was unique in the fact that the wedding company was composed of most of the prominent politicians in Allegheny county, and almost the entire body of the city hall officials. The bride is the daughter of John S. Lambie, president of Pittsburgh's select council. She was given away by her father. Her attendants included the maid of honor, her cousin, Miss Alice Lambie, and two bridesmaids, Miss Marguerite Lambie, a sister, and Miss Jessie Lambie, a cousin of the bride. John Taylor was the best man, and the ushers were Charles S. Lambie and John S. Lambie, Jr., two brothers of the bride; Robert A. Troop and John Donaldson. The bride wore a wedding gown of white pointe d'esprit and mousseline, trimmed with beautiful lace, with a bridal veil. Her bouquet consisted of lilies of the valley. Her attendants wore pretty gowns of white mousseline. The maid of honor carried lilies of the valley, while the bridesmaids' bouquets consisted of white rose buds. The decorations of the church were simple, yet effective. The colors, green and white, also appeared in the flowers and palms, which added to the attractiveness of the home, where the reception was held, followed by the wedding supper. Later in the evening Dr. Beggs and Mrs. Beggs left on their wedding trip. They will be at home in Penn avenue and Center street, Wilkinsburg, after June 15.

The bride has been a successful teacher in the Franklin school for several years. Last week the other teachers in the school and the directors gave a reception in her honor, of which the feature was an alleged "tin shower." Several other affairs given within the last few days anticipated her wedding. Among them were the "Scotch" party, given by the Misses Montgomery of Morewood avenue, and the entertainment at which Miss Mary Wright of Cliff street was hostess. Dr. Beggs is a young physician in Wilkinsburg and with his bride will make his future home in that place.

An interesting feature of the wedding celebration was the presence of three guests bearing the same name as the bride, Aimee Sioussa Lambie, which is a cherished combination of family names. They were the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Aimee Sioussa Lambie, an aunt and a cousin. Four others of the Lambie connection who could not be present at the wedding bear the same name.

Among the out-of-town guests present last evening were the Rev. William Donaldson and Mrs. Donaldson of Monmouth, Ill.; William S. Sioussa of Washington, D. C.; the Rev. William Boyd of Mt. Lebanon, Pa., and Miss Jessie Loeffler of Baltimore.

Bertalott-Hornbake.

A large church wedding took place yesterday morning in St. Paul's Roman Catholic cathedral, the bride being Miss Lotta Irene Bertalott and the bridegroom George Sumner Hornbake. The marriage was solemnized at 9 o'clock by the Rev. Father Lawrence O'Connell, high mass being celebrated. The bride was given away by her father, and her attendants included Miss Mary Hornbake, a sister of the bridegroom, as maid of honor; and Miss Bertha Bertalott, Miss Anna Smith, Miss Florence Murphy, Miss Mercedes Martin, Miss Adelaide Layton, Miss Katherine Timmes of Shamokin, Pa.; Miss Lydia Lambert of Coal Center, and Miss May Carmody, bridesmaids. Little Miss Helen Guisser, a cousin of the bride, was flower girl. Albert Bertalott, Jr., a brother of the bride, was the best man and the ushers were Alfred McCann, Alfred Murphy, Edward Layton and Alfred Diebold.

A wedding breakfast was served after the ceremony, followed in the afternoon by a large reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bertalott, Center avenue and Craig street, from 2 o'clock until 6. The bride wore a wedding gown of white crepe de chine trimmed with duchess lace, a veil of tulle and carried a bouquet of white bride's roses and lilies of the valley. The attendant maids were all gowned in white mousseline over slips of blue silk. They carried bouquets of roses. A touch of novelty was given the wedding by the gowns of the bridesmaids, the blue and white being said to be the genuine May day colors.

Officers Elected.

The last meeting of the Woman's club of Sewickley for the year was held in the Edgeworth club yesterday afternoon. The meeting was altogether a business one, officers being elected, reports from departments heard and all business being incidental to the reports. The president, Mrs. Alfred B. Harlow, had charge of the meeting and told of the workings of the club for the two years she has been the president. The reports of the various departments were given, including home, education, literary, philanthropy, civic and the treasurer's report, which showed the club to be very prosperous financially.

The following officers were then elected for the ensuing year, the first meeting of which will be held on Wednesday, October 1: President, Mrs. Robert Wardrop; vice president, Mrs. S. B. M. Hooker; treasurer, Miss Jean Hendrie; recording secretary, Mrs. John B. Carson; corresponding secretary, Miss Mary Campbell.

Blake-Maxwell.

Miss Lola H. Blake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Blake of Lobingier avenue, North Braddock, and James Maxwell of Turtle Creek, were married last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride. There were about 70 guests from Braddock, Wilkinsburg, East End and Turtle Creek. The service was performed by the Rev. Alpha K. Kline, pastor of St. Luke's Reformed church, Braddock. The bridegroom is an electrician at the Westinghouse Electric works at East Pittsburgh. Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell left on a wedding tour to cities in the east last evening, and on their return will be at home in Turtle Creek.

A Farewell Card Party.

Mrs. William L. Taylor of Ingram entertained at cards yesterday afternoon, her guests of honor being the members of the Crafton Card club, with about 50 outside guests. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and their family are leaving next week for Cresson, where they will remain until fall, and the entertainment was in the nature of a farewell. The Taylor home was handsomely decorated for the occasion, white and yellow being the predominating colors. Twelve tables were placed throughout the lower floors and the guests played six-hand euchre. Refreshments were served in the dining room. Six handsome prizes in sterling silver and cut glass were given, with a special lone-hand prize. This prize, which was won by Mrs. Robert McKee, was a handsome cut glass rose bowl. The other prizes were won by Mrs. C. A. Jackson, Mrs. John L. Smith, Mrs. Ferris McLean, Mrs. George Locker, Mrs. J. K. Baird and Mrs. Anna Krell. Several little informal affairs are being planned for the Taylors before their departure, as they have a large circle of friends in Crafton and the East End.

Dinner at the Brighton Club.

Hamilton Stewart gave a dinner last evening at the Brighton Country club to the members of the Mont Chateau club. The guests included Mrs. John Follansbee, Miss Grace Smith, Miss Blanche Walker, Miss Nellie Stewart, Miss Lyde Bradley, Miss Lillian Bradley, Miss Katherine Bradley, John Follansbee, R. W. Harbison, Dr. Thomas A. Miller, Christ Gerber, Harry A. Miller, W. A. Harbison, Maurice Sherrard and Robert Gilmore. The remainder of the evening, after the dinner, was spent in playing ping-pong and other games at the club house.

The Mont Chateau club is an outing club composed of tennis enthusiasts.

Bellevue Cake and Pie Sale.

The Young Women's Church Aid of the Bellevue Methodist Protestant church announces a home bread and cake sale for next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Arch Alston, Jr., in Lincoln avenue, Bellevue. A choice collection of edibles for Sunday dinners will be offered their patrons and visitors and the affair will be of a social character. An active committee has charge and will welcome the visitors. The proceeds go to the new church fund.

College Notes.

Thomas Armstrong gave a dinner party Thursday evening for the senior class of the Pennsylvania College for Women, of which class he is an honorary member. Others present were President and Mrs. Martin and Miss Gait, the other honorary member of the class. Other affairs which have taken place recently were a theater party, given by the seniors to the juniors last Friday evening, to see Richard Mansfield in "Beaucaire," and on Saturday afternoon Miss Gait, an honorary member of the class of 1902, entertained the class very charmingly. Colors—green and gold.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. George H. King entertained yesterday at cards at her home in Kentucky avenue, East End.

The joint committee of women's clubs for summer playground work met yesterday morning at the Twentieth Century club house.

The alumnae of the Thurston Preparatory school will present "The Snowball" for the benefit of the Omega Phi scholarship fund tonight.

Mrs. J. J. O'Reilly gave a euchre party yesterday afternoon at her home in Station avenue, East End, 15 tables being required for the players.

Last evening the Ringwait Choir union gave a fine concert in Carnegie Music hall, assisted by Miss Shanna Cummings, soprano, and the Gernert orchestra.

A Food Cure for Constipation.

Constipation is an almost universal disease among civilized nations, due to concentrated and imperfectly cooked food. Mushes, milk, fine flour, bread and condiments, added to sedentary habits, result in constipation, hemmorhoids, piles and other diseases of the rectum, requiring surgical operation, intestinal catarrh, headache, bilious attacks, nervous exhaustion, insomnia, sleeplessness, auto-intoxication, and paralysis. The remedy is the daily use of Toasted Wheat Flakes, sweetened with Malt Honey. Each flake represents an entire wheat kernel, less the woody fibre, and contains all the life building gluten of the wheat. The raw starch found in wheat and cracked wheat mushes, is dextrinized by thorough cooking and toasting, making Toasted Wheat Flakes at once digestible and curing constipation and its attendant ills. It is unfailing in its work.

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We are showing some beautiful creations in Patent Leather, French Calf, Vici Kid and Dull Finished Kid.

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Besides the articles enumerated below, decided reductions have been made in all departments.

SUIT DEPARTMENT.

A lot of Misses' and Ladies' Tailored Suits, which have been sold at from $18.75 to $21.00, will be closed out at $11.75

A large assortment of Tailored Suits, taken from our regular stock, which have sold at from $19.00 to $25.00, for Friday only, at $15.75

New shape collarless Eton Suits; made of the new Mistral Cloth, loose weave, fancy trimmed vest. SILK LINED THROUGHOUT (skirt over silk petticoat), at $19.75

Ladies' Tailored Suits of superior quality Black and Blue Broadcloth, single-breasted tight-fitting style, LINED THROUGHOUT WITH HEAVY QUALITY TAFFETA SILK (skirt over silk petticoat), retail value $32.50, at $22.50

Four new models of highest grade Tailored Suits of Black and Blue Voile and Canvas Etamine, lined throughout with finest quality TAFFETA SILK (skirt over silk petticoat), at ..... $25.00, $27.50 & $30.00
(Retail value $32.50 to $45.00.)

Walking Suits of Scotch Mixtures and Cheviot, latest style blouse Eton effects; reduced from $22.50 and $25.00, for Friday only, to $18.75

SKIRT DEPARTMENT.

A very limited number of Gray and Tan Walking Skirts, reduced from $5.00 to $1.90

Blue, Gray, Tan, Brown and Scotch Mixture Walking Skirts, regular value $8.75, reduced to $4.90

Walking Skirts of extra quality black Unfinished Worsted, stitched flare; reduced from $5.90, for Friday only, to $4.90

Our new Walking Skirt of Blue and Black Panama Cloth, suitable for spring and summer wear, with double plaited back, elaborately stitched in white; reduced from $8.75, for Friday only, to ... $7.50

Plain and Striped Etamine Skirts in Tan, Blue and Black, taffeta trimmed; regular value $10.75, at $8.90

Black, blue and tan Etamine Dress Skirts made over SILK PETTICOATS, taffeta trimmed; regular value $18.75; special for Friday $15.00

Several styles of high-class Etamine and Voile Dress Skirts, Taffeta trimmed, OVER SILK DROP, regular value $25.00 to $27.50, at $22.50

COAT DEPARTMENT.

A number of different styles of Eton Coats of fine quality Tan and Gray Broadcloth, Taffeta trimmed and lined with very fine quality Taffeta, which have sold from $9.75 to $15.00, at $6.90

New Spring style Tan Covert Cloth Jackets, fly front, lined with heavy quality Satin, which will be closed out on Friday at $7.25

Eton Coats of Black Unfinished Worsted, with Moire Antique collar and Vest; reduced from $14.75, for Friday only, to $11.75

A small quantity of Tan Covert Jackets, Gibson style, very finely tailored; reduced from $17.50, for Friday only, to $12.75

Children's Reefers in a variety of styles, 4 to 10 years, will be closed out on Friday at $2.90

WAIST DEPARTMENT.

A variety of French Taffeta Waist, representing odds and ends, a few of them slightly soiled, will be closed out at $1.90

New Moire Gibson Waists, white and black; reduced from $4.50 to $3.25

A limited number of Striped Summer Silk and Louisine Waists; reduced from $3.90 and $4.90, to $2.90

Beautifully tailored Peau de Soie Gibson Waists with embroidered turnover and cuffs, in black and white and all the spring shades; reduced from $10.00, for Friday, to $6.90

Our new White Peau de Cygne model with stitching and trimmings of red, black or blue, also all white; reduced from $11.75 and $12.75 to $8.90

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR DEPARTMENT.

NIGHT GOWNS.

Gowns of Nainsook, embroidery and ribbon trimmed; reduced from $1.50 to $1.00

Gowns of Nainsook, Empire effect, blind embroidery and ribbon trimmed; reduced from $2.50 to $2.00

DRAWERS.

A lot of Cambric Drawers, hemstitched and tucked, will be closed out at 25c

Drawers of Nainsook, hemstitched, tucked and with deep umbrella ruffle; reduced from 90c to 65c

CORSET COVERS.

Two styles of lace and embroidery trimmed Corset Covers; retail value 40c, at 20c

Corset Covers of Nainsook, lace and ribbon trimmed back and front; reduced from $1.25 ..... $1.00

DRESSING SACQUES.

Dressing Sacques and Kimonas, white and colored; reduced from $1.25 to $1.00

PETTICOATS.

Cambric Petticoats with deep blind embroidery ruffle; reduced from $1.90 to $1.50

PETTICOAT DEPARTMENT.

A number of broken lots, odds and ends, of Silk Petticoats, which have sold from $6.90 to $15.75, will be closed out at

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POPP WAS POPULAR WITH PIRATES

THE CARDINALS RECEIVED AWFUL HARD TROUNCING

Champions' Batters Had a Picnic With a Pair of Pitchers.

DONOVAN'S MEN TIRED

Had to Chase the Ball to All Corners of the Lot—Popp Was Bumped Good and Hard and Murphy Got Same Kind of Dose.

YESTERDAY'S LEAGUE GAMES.

Pittsburgh ...18—St. Louis 6
New York .... 3—Philadelphia ... 0
Boston ..... 5—Brooklyn 0
Chicago ..... 0—Cincinnati 0

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.	Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	5	2	.818	Boston	6	6	.500
Chicago	6	3	.667	Brooklyn	5	8	.385
New York	8	5	.615	Cincinnati	5	7	.300
Philadelphia	6	6	.500	St. Louis	2	8	.200

League Games Today.

St. Louis at Exposition park.
Brooklyn at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Chicago.

That was an awful slaughter of the innocents over at Exposition park yesterday afternoon. It would at this stage be difficult to tell whether the tribe of Donovan was out to do a Maypole act or whether it was an attempt at the good old game of townball, from which the national game got its origin. One thing is certain, it wasn't baseball. No matter what name it might be called, the Pirates won it by a score of 18 to 6.

If it was a celebration of May day that Donovan had in mind when he trotted his young men out on the lot at 3:30 o'clock they had it sure enough. The Pirates chased them around the Maypole until their heads became so dizzy that an ordinary base ball looked no bigger than a pea to them. When the affair was over those cardinal-tinted young men wandered wearily to their bus wondering what had struck them. They were weary of limb and sick at heart, and no wonder! Besides they were not the only ones sick at heart, because the 2,900 spectators had an attack of it from watching the weird antics of the Mound City men.

Case of Pop All Around.

The youngster trotted out by Sir Patrick for the queen of the May honor was a shabby little fellow who answers to the name of Popp. Somebody once said there was a virtue in a pop to it that was bottled sunshine, but that did not fit this case. Clarke's men took it for a case of pop goes the weazel, and that is just what they played it for and found out that their definition was right. At the conclusion of the second inning the young man with the soft drink name concluded that life was a burden to him and he quit the game in disgust, and no wonder.

Popp started out with the air of a man who had worlds to conquer and had a dead cinch on the conquering business. He got along fairly well in the first inning, but marred his work by two bases on balls. However, no Pirate runs were scored and Popp smiled and smote hands with Donovan when he went in to the bench. He had that same gladsome air when he started out for the second round. It lasted until two hands were out and the third should have been retired but for a wobble on the part of that half-sized Boer, Oom Paul Kruger. At this stage there were some wonderful doings in the way of baseball, and here's what they were:

Like a Merry-Go-Round.

Bransfield, who was first up, reached the initial corner on Kruger's error. Ritchey singled, but Leach was out on a fly to Smoot. Smith singled, scoring Bransfield, but Harry was out at second on Tannehill's life. Davis got a base on balls, filling the bases, and Clarke cleared them with a three-bagger to right. Beaumont singled, Wagner tripled, Bransfield doubled, Ritchey got his second hit of the inning, Leach beat out a pretty bunt, Smith tore off his second single, and when the Pirates stopped to get their breath 11 had found that nine runs were over the plate. The end of the misery of Mr. Popp Tannehill struck out.

When the Cardinals took the field in the next inning there was a new face in the pitcher's box, and Umpire Emslie said it belonged to a Hungarian named Murphy. It was thought he would be an improvement over Popp, but that turned out a delusion and a snare. The champions went at Mr. Murphy with the same thirst that they had gulped down Popp and scored an equal number of runs off his delivery. The only difference was that they got them in smaller sized bunches and distributed the getting through the other six innings of the game.

Murphy Wanted Much.

Murphy is one of those pitchers who thinks every ball delivered by him should be called a strike, but the umpire had a different opinion. This made Murphy sweary, and just to show spite he banged the ball up against the grand-stand and in such odd ways that he had the Pirate batters doing a wriggle dance around the home plate. When he did get it over Clarke's men laced it to all parts of the field, much to the disgust of the other Cardinals who played just about in keeping with Murphy's pitching, and that was pretty bad.

Twineham and Smith was the battery called on to uphold the champions' end of the argument, and they were doing it to perfection until it became evident that there was something of a cake walk and that Tanny would up and did not attempt to tire out his pitching arm. Outside of one very bad throw to first base Smith caught an excellent game and showed himself to be a power of strength at bat, as he slapped out two singles and a two-bagger. The score:

PITTSBURGH.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Davis, r	3	3	1	2	0	0	
Clarke, l	4	2	2	1	1	0	
Corey, l	1	1	1	1	0	0	
Beaumont, m	4	4	3	1	0	0	
Wagner, c	4	3	3	2	2	2	
Bransfield, 1	6	2	1	10	0	0	
Ritchey, 2	6	2	3	5	6	1	
Leach, 3	5	0	0	2	2	1	
Smith, s	5	2	2	4	4	1	
Tannehill, p	5	2	1	0	1	0	
Totals	44	18	19	27	15	5	

ST. LOUIS.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell, 2	4	2	2	4	2	0	
Donovan, r	4	3	2	3	0	0	
Smoot, l	4	3	2	3	0	2	
Barela, l	4	0	0	2	0	2	
Keeler, s	4	0	1	1	5	2	
Harman, 3	4	0	0	0	1	0	
Strief, c	4	0	1	8	0	0	
Nixon, c	4	1	1	5	1	0	
Popp, r	1	0	0	0	1	1	
Murphy, p	3	1	1	0	0	0	
Totals	36	6	9	28	11	6	

Pittsburgh ..... 0 0 3 1 0 3 0 2 *—18
St. Louis ..... 0 0 0 2 2 0 1 0 1—6

Two-base hits—Bransfield, Bransfield, Smith. Three-base hits—Clarke. Sacrifice hit—Davis. Stolen bases—Wagner, Tannehill. Double plays—Wagner and Bransfield; Ritchey and Bransfield. First base on balls—Off Popp, 3 (Davis, Clarke, Beaumont); off Murphy 5 (Davis, Beaumont, Wagner 3). Struck out—By Tannehill 2 (Barclay, Hartman); by Popp 2 (Wagner, Tannehill); by Murphy 1 (Smith). Wild pitches—Murphy 2. Innings played by each pitcher—Tannehill 9, Popp 2, Murphy 6. Hits off each pitcher—Off Tannehill, 9; off Popp, 2; off Murphy, 10. Time—1:55. Umpire—Emslie.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

When the first inning was on two occupants of the left field bleachers got into a fight and things were lively out in that section for a short time.

Popp, who got his bumps in the third inning yesterday, was the champion twirler of the Southern league last year. He pitched for the Little Rock team.

The people who like slugging and baserunning got their money's worth yesterday. There was enough hitting and baserunning to do three ordinary games.

If Pitcher Murphy don't get everything that is coming to him it's not that he don't ask for it. Some of his demands on balls and strikes yesterday were very silly.

Harry Smith's error was a wild throw to first in an effort to catch a sleepy baserunner. The ball rolled clear to the right field fence and the runner got as far as third.

It will be Schoolmaster Sam's turn to get a whack at the Cardinals this afternoon, and O'Connor will likely be his running mate. Zimmer is still over in Cleveland fixing up his new house.

If St. Louis had a team made up of players of the caliber of Patsy Donovan what an aggregation it would be. The ex-Pirate is too good a ballplayer to be mixed up with a bunch like the present Cardinals.

Had Popp been given proper support the Pirates would have been blanked in the second inning instead of pounding out nine runs. Kruger's wobble was the direct cause of that awful walloping that the ex-Southern league twirler received.

Patsy Donovan out in right field blushed with shame in the second and third innings yesterday while his players were making all kinds of fools of themselves. Patsy turned his back on the crowd and studied the score board for awhile.

In the second inning "Scratch" Hartman made a vicious lunge at the ball and drove it along the foul line as far as third base. Leach waited until the ball rolled foul, then picked it up and in a grand slander galled, "Good eye, Tommy."

Pitcher Murphy is one of those sneak pitchers who shoots a ball over when the batter is not looking. He got one over on Beaumont in the third inning, but his second trial of the trick proved a wild pitch on which Davis scored from second base.

Tannehill has apparently allowed himself to be struck out in the second inning in order to end Popp's misery, and the Cardinals were walking in from the field, a grand stand occupant called out, "Murph, I thought you would have to call the fire department to put them out."

Jack O'Connor was not in the game, but he was on the coaching line, where he did good service. When Murphy walked out to pitch in the third inning a bleacherite yelled: "Say, Jack, there's an old friend of yours." It was Murphy who soaked Rowry on the jaw during a hot scrimmage in St. Louis last season.

Wild Conroy got in the game long enough to get a put out, a hit and a run. He relieved Clarke in the Cardinal's half of the eighth and on his first turn at bat smashed out a pretty single down past third base. The crowd gave the new Pirate a very generous welcome. Conroy showed himself speedy on the bases and also demonstrated that he can play the outfield as well as the infield.

NEITHER TEAM SCORED.

Reds and Remnants Had Twelve-Inning Struggle.

CHICAGO, May 1.—Cincinnati and Chicago went 12 innings today in a hard-contested and prettily played game, neither side being able to score. Both pitchers were at their best, and received almost perfect support. Attendance, 1,200. Score

Chic'o.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincin.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Miller, l	0	2	2	0	0	Hoy, m	0	0	4	0	0
Ken'y, m	0	0	5	0	0	Dobbs, l	0	1	5	0	0
Dexter, 3	0	2	1	1	0	Beck'y, l	0	0	1	0	1
Cong'n, r	0	1	1	0	0	Crawf'd, r	0	2	1	1	0
Ch'nce, c	0	0	4	0	0	Beck, 2	0	0	2	1	4
Lowe, 2	0	3	1	5	1	Cor'an, s	0	0	2	1	0
Slagle, l	0	0	2	0	0	Mitch'l, 3	0	0	1	2	0
Tinker, s	0	1	3	5	0	Bergen, c	0	0	5	4	0
Taylor, p	0	0	0	5	0	Hahn, p	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	0	8	36	15	1	Totals	0	5	26	16	0

Chicago ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Cincinnati ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Left on bases—Chicago 8, Cincinnati 5. Two-base hits—Miller, Dexter 2. Beck. Sacrifice hit—Taylor. Double plays—Tinker (unassisted); Corcoran (unassisted); Mitchell to Taylor 3, by Hahn 7. First base on balls—Off Hahn 2. Wild pitches—Hahn. Time—2:00. Umpire—Cantillon. Called on account of darkness.

GOT ONLY TWO HITS.

Mathewson Pitched Another Great Game for the Giants.

NEW YORK, May 1.—New York whitewashed Philadelphia at the Polo grounds today. Pitcher McGee, who was released by the local club last week, was signed by the Philadelphia management today. The score

Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
R.T's, m	0	0	2	1	0	VanH., r	0	1	0	0	0
Barry, 3	0	0	0	1	0	Brodie, r	1	1	0	0	0
Bro'ne, l	0	1	2	0	0	Lauder, 3	0	0	1	2	0
Doug's, c	0	1	8	0	1	Doyle, 1	1	1	8	3	1
W.T's, r	0	0	1	0	1	Smith, 2	0	1	7	2	0
Hulf's, 1	0	0	6	0	0	Bo'sw'n, l	0	0	0	0	0
Hal'an, 3	0	0	1	2	0	Bean, s	0	2	0	4	1
Childs, 2	0	0	0	0	0	Bow'an, c	0	0	8	1	0
Voor's, p	0	0	0	2	0	Mat'on, p	1	2	3	4	0
Totals	0	2	24	8	2	Totals	3	8	27	17	2

Philadelphia ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
New York ..... 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 *—3

First base on errors—New York 1, Philadelphia 2. Left on bases—New York 7, Philadelphia 6. Home run—Mathewson. Stolen bases—Doyle 2, Smith, Bean. Double play—Bean, Smith and Doyle. Sacrifice hit—R. Thomas. First base on balls—Off Mathewson 3, off Voorhees 5. Struck out—By Mathewson 9, by Voorhees 7. Passed ball—Douglass. Time—1:40. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance, 6,800.

BROOKLYN BLANKED.

Willis Pitched His Game Well and Got Fine Support.

BOSTON, May 1.—Willis' clever pitching backed by the sharp fielding of the Boston team blanked Brooklyn in today's game. Kitson was batted hard, especially in the sixth inning, when three singles, a two bagger and a home run netted four runs and clinched the game for Boston. Attendance, 1,800. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Lush, m	0	1	4	0	0	Keeler, r	0	0	0	0	0
Tenney, l	1	1	2	1	0	Sheck, l	0	0	4	0	0
Coury, l	0	0	1	0	0	Nolan, m	0	2	5	0	0
Carney, r	2	2	0	0	0	M'Cre'y, l	0	0	7	0	0
Grem'er, s	0	0	1	3	0	Dahlen, s	0	0	2	3	0
Long, s	1	2	2	2	0	Flood, 2	0	0	2	1	0
Diamond, 1	0	2	1	1	0	Irwin, 3	0	0	1	2	1
Kit'dge, c	0	1	6	1	0	Ahearn, c	0	1	5	1	0
Willis, p	0	0	2	7	0	Kitson, p	0	0	1	0	4
Totals	5	11	27	18	0	Totals	0	5	24	11	2

Boston ..... 0 1 0 0 0 4 0 0 *—5
Brooklyn ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Two-base hits—Kitson, Kittridge, Ahearn. Home runs—Carney 2. Sacrifice hits—Keeler, Kitson. Stolen bases—Long, Dement. First base on balls—Off Willis, 4; off Kitson, 2. Struck out—By Willis, 3; by Kitson, 2. Time—1:40. Umpire—Brown.

THEY CANNOT PLAY.

Scheme of Contract Jumpers Would Not Work Owing to Judge's Absence.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 1.—Counsel for the Philadelphia American League Baseball club today appeared in court of common pleas No. 5 to enter bond pending an appeal to be made to the supreme court in the case of Second Baseman Lajoie and Pitchers Bernhard and Fraser, formerly of the local National League club, who were enjoined on Tuesday of last week from playing with the American League club. Anticipating that an injunction would be applied for by the National League club to restrain Delehanty, Wolverton, Townsend and Orth, formerly Philadelphia National League players, but now members of the Washington American league team, from playing in the opening game here tomorrow, an effort was also made by counsel for the latter organization to enter security for these four players pending the appeal to the supreme court in the case of the enjoined players.

Owing to the absence from the city of Judge Ralston, who granted the injunction, action in both cases was postponed until Monday. Bills in equity have not as yet been filed against the four Washington players, though it is expected that tomorrow John I. Rogers of the Philadelphia National League club will apply for a preliminary injunction restraining them from participating in tomorrow's game.

The absence of Judge Ralston will prevent the appearance of Lajoie, Bernhard or Fraser on the field tomorrow. Had security been entered and an appeal taken to the supreme court such action would have operated as a stay of the injunction.

WANTED TO GET AT THE UMPIRE IN BALTIMORE

Crowd Rushed on Field and Policeman Was Hit With a Brick.

M'GRAW STARTED MIXUP

Demanded His Base for Being Hit With Ball and Was Sent to the Bench—This Brought the Crowd and There Was Trouble.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

Boston ..... 6—Baltimore 4
Detroit ..... 4—Cleveland 1
St. Louis ..... 3—Chicago 2
Philadelphia .. 6—Washington ... 3

Yesterday's Baseball Attendance.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.		AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
At Pittsburgh	2,000	At Detroit	14,183
At New York	4,800	At Washington	3,500
At Boston	1,800	At Baltimore	2,500
At Chicago	1,200	At St. Louis	2,500
Total	12,700	Total	22,483

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.	Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	4	2	.667	Boston	4	4	.500
Philadelphia	4	3	.571	St. Louis	4	4	.500
Chicago	5	4	.556	Baltimore	3	4	.429
Washington	4	4	.500	Cleveland	3	6	.333

Baltimore, Md., May 1.—The game today between Baltimore and Boston ended in a row, which but for the interference of the police might have resulted seriously for Umpire Sheridan. In the last inning Sheridan refused to allow McGraw his base after having been, it was claimed, hit by a pitched ball. The vigorous protest offered by the manager of the Baltimore team resulted in his being ordered to the bench, at which the occupants of the bleachers took exceptions. At the conclusion of the game the crowd surged on the field and surrounded the umpire menacingly. One man threw a brick which went wide of its mark and cut the face of a policeman who was trying to protect Sheridan. He was finally escorted from the grounds without sustaining bodily harm.

The game was lost to Baltimore through the ineffectiveness of the pitching of Howell in the early innings of the contest. The score:

Balti.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Gilp't, s	1	0	2	3	0	Parent, s	0	1	2	3	6
M'G'w, 3	1	2	1	1	0	Stahl, m	1	0	3	0	0
Kel'y, m	0	1	0	0	0	Collins, 3	2	3	4	6	0
Seym'r, r	1	2	5	1	0	F'an, r	1	1	1	1	0
Wil'ms, 2	0	1	2	3	1	Hoff'n, 2	0	1	3	1	0
Seib'h, l	0	2	2	0	0	La'nce, l	0	1	3	1	0
M'Gan, l	1	1	2	1	0	Ferris, 2	1	2	4	2	0
Robi'n, c	0	1	7	0	0	Criger, c	0	1	4	2	0
Howl, p	0	1	1	6	1	Dineen, p	0	1	0	2	0
Bres'n, *	0	1	0	0	0						
Totals	4	12	26	13	3	Totals	6	12	27	17	0

*Hickman out; hit by batted ball in third.
**Batted for McGraw in the ninth.

Baltimore ..... 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—4
Boston ..... 1 2 0 0 3 0 0 0 *—6

Two-base hits—McGraw, Hickman, Selbach. Three-base hits—Seymour, Ferris, Freeman. Stolen bases—McGann 2, Kelley, Collins. Double play—Gilbert and Williams. First base on balls—Off Dineen 2. Struck out—By Dineen 1. Left on bases—Baltimore 8, Boston 5. Time—1:55. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—2,500.

AN IMMENSE CROWD.

Detroit Team Got Warm Welcome Home and Won Game.

DETROIT, May 1.—Before the biggest crowd that ever assembled at Bennett park, the Detroit team this afternoon bunched their hits in the seventh and eighth innings and won the first game of the season on the home grounds. Cleveland's only run was the result of a base on balls to McCarthy, followed by a single and a double. Moore had poor control and two of Detroit's runs came from bases on balls. Schreck's batting, a stop by Gochenaur and Barrett's fielding were the features. Score:

Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cleve'd.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Barrett, m	0	0	5	0	0	Pic'ring, m	0	1	0	0	0
Holmes, m	1	1	1	1	0	M'Cart'y, l	1	1	2	0	0
Casey, 3	0	0	1	2	0	Harvey, r	0	0	1	0	0
Harley, l	0	0	1	0	0	Bemis, c	0	0	10	1	0
Eberf'd, s	1	2	2	3	0	Bonner, 2	0	1	2	2	0
Gleason, 2	1	2	2	1	2	Bradley, 3	0	0	2	2	0
Dillon, l	1	1	0	1	0	Goch'r, s	0	1	3	4	0
M'Guire, c	0	1	5	2	0	Beam'r, c	0	0	4	0	0
Miller, p	0	1	0	3	0	Moore, p	0	0	0	1	0
						*Hemphill	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	4	7	27	12	2	Totals	1	5	24	13	0

*Batted for Moore in ninth inning.

Detroit ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 *—4
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1

Two-base hits—Miller, Holmes, Elberfeld, Bonner. Sacrifice hits—Holmes, McGuire, Harvey, Bemis. Stolen bases—Holmes, Pickering. Base on balls—By Miller, 1; by Moore, 5. First base on errors—Cleveland, 2. Left on bases—Detroit, 6; Cleveland, 8. Struck out—By Miller, 4; by Moore, 3. Double play—Gochnaur, Schreck and Bradley. Umpires—Johnston and Connolly. Attendance—14,183. Time—1:40.

SEYBOLD'S HOME RUN.

It Won the Game for the Phillies from the Senators.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Philadelphia won today's game from Washington in the sixth inning, when an error, a single, and a base on balls, followed by a home run drive by Seybold netted four runs. Attendance, 3,300. Score:

Wash.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Ryan, r	0	1	1	0	0	Hartsel, l	0	1	0	0	0
Kester, m	0	3	0	0	0	Fultz, 2	1	0	2	1	1
Wolv'n, 3	0	1	1	4	2	Davis, l	0	1	1	1	0
Dele'ty, l	1	0	0	3	0	L. Cross, 3	0	0	5	2	0
Cough'n, 2	0	0	2	3	0	Flick, r	0	1	1	0	0
Carey, l	0	0	1	3	0	Seibold, m	2	2	2	0	0
Ely, s	0	1	2	1	1	M. Cross	0	1	1	3	0
Drill, c	0	1	7	4	1	Powers, c	0	0	1	2	0
Orth, p	0	0	1	1	3	Dug'by, p	0	0	1	5	1
Totals	3	9	27	18	4	Totals	4	6	27	15	2

Washington ..... 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3
Philadelphia ..... 0 0 0 0 2 4 0 0 0—6

Two-base hits—Kester, M. Cross. Home run—Seybold. Stolen bases—Powers, Sacrifice hits—Carey, Ely, Orth. Double Plays—Orth to Coughlin to Carey; Wolverton to Coughlin to Carey. Bases on balls—Off Orth, 1; off Dugleby, 2. Struck out—By Orth, 3; by Dugleby, 1. Left on bases—Washington, 6; Philadelphia, 3. Passed ball—Powers. Wild pitch—Dugleby. Time—1:30. Umpire—O'Laughlin.

FATAL BASE ON BALLS.

It Is Blamed for Chicago's Defeat at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 1.—Patterson virtually gave the game to St. Louis in the first inning today, when he allowed the first two men up to go to first on balls. A wild pitch and two hits netted the local players three runs, as a result. Platt, who took Patterson's place, was effective. The game was full of exciting double plays. Attendance, 2,500. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	B.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	B.	P.	A.	E.
Burkett, lf	1	1	0	0	0	Strang, 3b	1	0	0	1	0
Heidr'k, cf	1	1	1	0	0	Jones, cf	0	0	2	1	0
And'n, 1b	0	0	15	0	0	Green, lf	0	1	2	0	0
Wal'ce, ss	1	2	3	4	0	Davis, ss	0	1	2	5	0
Pad'n, 2b	0	1	4	5	0	Metz'r, rf	0	0	0	0	1
Jones, rf	0	0	0	1	0	Daly, 2b	0	0	1	2	0
M'Cor., 3b	0	0	0	3	0	Isbell, 1b	0	2	12	1	0
Sugden, c	0	1	4	2	1	Sullivan, c	0	1	4	2	0
Sudhoff, p	0	1	0	2	1	Part'son, p	0	0	0	1	0
						Platt, p.*	0	1	2	0	3
						*Callahan	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	8	27	17	3	Totals	2	10	24	16	1

*Batted for Platt in ninth.

St. Louis ..... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3
Chicago ..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—2

Two base hits—Heidrick, Wallace. Sacrifice hit—Padden. Stolen bases—Burkett. Davis, Merritt. Double plays—Sullivan and Davis; Wallace, Sugden, McCormick and Padden; Anderson (unassisted). Padden and Anderson; Jones and Isbell. Left on bases—St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 7. Struck out—By Sudhoff, 3; by Platt, 1. Bases on balls—Off Sudhoff, 4; off Patterson, 2. Wild pitch—Patterson. Umpire—Carruthers. Time, 2:00.

COLLEGE TEAM DEFEATED

H. L. A. C. Piled Up Enough Runs in One Inning to Win the Game.

Pittsburgh college went to Steelworks park yesterday afternoon and lost to Homestead L. A. C. by the score of 8 to 1. Loose fielding by the collegians in the second and third innings and failure to bunch their hits lost the game. Score

H. L. A. C.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Pitts. C.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Myles, 2	2	1	3	2	0	Davis, 2	0	0	3	1	0
Clark, l	0	1	2	1	0	Collins, 3	0	2	1	7	2
Smith, m	1	0	2	0	0	Capen, l	0	1	1	1	0
Shor't, c	2	2	5	1	0	Laux, s	0	1	2	2	0
Cosgr'e, s	1	0	1	4	1	Mayer, 1	0	2	8	0	0
Y'ng's, 3	1	1	0	2	0	Huck'n, m	0	1	2	0	1
Ma'sh'l, 1	1	1	11	0	0	Fran'y, c	0	0	7	2	0
Pear'n, r	0	1	0	0	0	Keat'g, r	1	0	2	0	0
Rode'k, p	0	0	0	0	0	Joost, r	0	1	0	0	0
						Kilg'n, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	8	6	26	11	1	Totals	1	8	24	12	4

*Collins out for cutting base.

H. L. A. C. ..... 0 3 4 0 0 1 0 0 *—8
Pittsburgh C. ..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

First base on balls—Off Rodebaugh 3, off Gasper 2, off Kilgallen, 1. Two-base hits—Schottwell, Collins. Hit by pitcher—Land, Davis. Struck out—By Rodebaugh 5, by Gasper 3, by Kilgallen 2. Wild pitch—Rodebaugh. Time—1:30. Umpire—McCutcheon.

GOT A BIG START.

Allegheny Scored Ten Runs in First Inning on Wash.-Jeff.

MEADVILLE, PA., May 1.—(Special.)—Allegheny college defeated the W. and J. baseball team this afternoon 12 to 8 in a game that started out very loosely on the part of the visitors, Allegheny making 10 or more 12 runs in the first inning. The last inning was almost as bad on the part of Allegheny, Washington and Jefferson getting five runs. The remainder of the game was gilt edge ball, fine playing marking both teams. Score:

Allegh'y.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	W. & J.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Turner, m	2	1	1	0	1	Erkum, 2	1	1	1	1	0
M'Dean, l	2	2	1	1	0	Thorn'n, s	0	1	3	2	1
Lewis, r	3	1	0	0	0	C. Eckles, c	1	1	5	2	1
Fletcher, 2	0	0	1	2	0	Loucks, l	1	1	1	1	0
Lef'well, 1	2	1	2	1	0	Ridgely, m	1	1	2	0	0
Cook, c	1	1	5	0	0	Fulton, r	3	1	2	1	0
Lackey, 3	1	1	2	1	1	S. Eckles, l	1	1	1	1	0
M'Con'l, s	0	0	1	3	0	Howell, 3	1	1	4	0	3
Haas, p	1	0	1	3	1	Wirebk, s	0	0	1	0	0
Price, s	0	0	0	1	1	Moore, p	1	1	1	3	0
						M'Gregor, r	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	12	7	24	10	0	Totals	8	10	27	11	3

Allegheny ..... 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 *—12
W. and J. ..... 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 5—8

Three-base hits—Lackey, Lewis, Ridgely, S. Eckles. Two-base hit—Turner. Base on balls—Off Wirebuck, 2. Passed ball—Eckles, 1. Struck out—By Haas, 5; by Wirebuck, 4; by Moore, 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Moore, Lewis, Haas. Umpire—Taylor.

Juniors Defeated Freshmen.

The Juniors of the Pittsburgh Academy defeated the Freshmen yesterday on the Pittsburgh College grounds in a very one-sided game. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Juniors	8	2	1
Freshmen	4	6	9

Two-base hits—Dyer, Stone 2, Fisher 2, Bean. Three-base hits—Wolton, Shaw. Batteries—Juniors, Fisher and Gow; Freshmen, McGanz and McCormick. Umpire—Comfort.

Harvard Beat Amherst.

At Cambridge—Harvard 3; Amherst 0.

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CATARRH

BUSY DAYS ON THE AMATEUR FIELDS

THE BIG COLLEGE TEAMS WILL NOT ATTEND MEET

Promoters of the Schenley Park Events Encounter a Failure.

LOCAL COLLEGES IN LINE

State, Bucknell and Others Refuse to Send Their Athletes Here. Large Field of Entries Is Expected from the Other Schools.

The committee in charge of the intercollegiate field and track meet to be held at Schenley park on Decoration day under the auspices of the Western University of Pennsylvania, is much disappointed at the failure of its efforts to bring the State college, Bucknell university and Susquehanna university teams here. Answers have been received from these colleges stating that they will not compete. The Western Pennsylvania schools are all responding eagerly to the invitations and the management hopes to make it the most successful meet ever held in Western Pennsylvania, though it was the special desire to raise it above the plane of the former meets held at Washington by the competition of such schools as State and Bucknell.

The entries for the meet do not close until May 23, but favorable answers to invitations have already been received from Allegheny, Grove City, Jefferson, the University of West Virginia, Geneva, Westminster and Allegheny college.

The Western University track team, of which E. S. Worcester is captain and John S. Martin manager, will take a far greater prominence than ever before, and every effort will be made to bag the championship. W. & J. has easily outstripped W. U. P. in recent years, but this season the local college is going right after the Washingtonians with every confidence of success. The chief feature in W. U. P.'s advancement is the strength of the medical department, which has a strong lot of candidates. McGourney, who comes from Westminster and is a medical student, is regarded as by far the strongest all-around man W. U. P. has. He is said to be good in the 220 and 440-yard dashes, in both the low and high hurdles, in the pole vault, hammer throw and both high and broad jumps. It is hard to imagine anything else to try him at. Cummings, another old Westminster man, is very strong on the football team, is at the law department and is said to be the best mile runner in the school. Another good man who is training on Observatory and who has come from another college is Jackson, who has won his events while competing for Washington and Jefferson.

Paul McClain is the chief strength for W. U. P. in the bicycle events and there is also a probability of his coming out in the sprints.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

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The Clark A. C. wants games with 6 to 7-year-old teams. Address 85 Logan street, Pittsburgh.

The Liberty A. C. would like to hear from all 8 or 9-year-old teams. Address Isadore Lindner, 1325 Center avenue, Pittsburgh.

Manager J. S. Douglass of the Young Men's Civic club baseball team, of Allegheny, desires to arrange for a game with any strong team of young men for Saturday.

The South Side Stars would like to arrange games with all 14 and 15-year-old teams in Western Pennsylvania. Address Walter Heil, 202 Carson street, S. S., Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Colonial A. C. would like to hear from any team at the age of 12 to 13 years, for Saturday, May 10. Address Fred L. Davis, c. Standard Steel Car Company, Frick building.

The Deadmans Curve A. C. would like to hear from all good 18-year-old clubs. The D. A. C. has some of the best players in the two cities. Address George Turin, Alpine avenue, Allegheny.

The Puffeys would like to have a few games with any 15 to 16-year-old team for any Saturday in June and July. Uniformed teams preferred. Catawba A. C., Economy and Pittsburgh College Reserves, John Lynch, P. O. 1289.

The Sewickley High school has organized a baseball team and desire games with all 15 and 16-year-old uniformed teams. Bellevue High School, Paris Institute and Nationals preferred. For game, address F. C. Starr, Sewickley, Pa.

The Wing Athletic club would like to secure a game away from home with some out-of-town team for Saturday, to fill the date left vacant by the canceling of the game with the Waldorfs. Call up Charles F. Eisaler, Bell telephone 22, Sharpsburg.

Iroquois will play the Homestead L. A. C. at Homestead today. Iroquois line-up: Hill or Call, catcher; Fossen, P. Miller or Burns, pitcher; Zahniser, short; McKenna, first; Villers, second; Heyl, third; Bealas, left; Frauenheim, center field; J. Mueller, right.

The Millvale baseball club will open the season with a game with the East End Athletics at the Millvale baseball park on Saturday, May 3. The team has been practicing regularly and a good game is expected. The game is being well advertised and a big crowd will be on hand.

The S. B. and B. A. C. have received their uniforms and are now open for games with any strong amateur teams. Would like to arrange a game for May 10 with some team having grounds. The B. B. and B.'s grounds are at Aspinwall and will be in shape for games after May 10. All teams desiring games address F. Boyd, manager B. B. and B. A. C., 850 Rebecca street, Allegheny.

The Fuller Bros. have organized for the season of 1902 with the following players: Mooney, catcher; Ott, pitcher; Dougherty, shortstop; George Byerly, first base; W. Borden, second base; S. Neely, third base; F. Kilgallon, center field; Chicken, right field; Powers, left field. Would like to hear from all 12 or 13-year-old teams having grounds, for games. Address to George Byerly, 3117 Penn avenue.

The Mellwoods will open the season with the Cottage club at Homewood next Saturday, and will line up as follows: W. Larkin, right field; Z. Frank, second base; G. Frank, shortstop; C. Smith, third base; R. Harrison or Stanley, left field; J. King, pitcher; T. Sullivan, catcher; J. Pilart, first base; J. Potter or T. Kinney, center field. For games address George A. Herman, 3449 Melwood avenue, city.

The East Liberty baseball team still has a few open dates left and Iroquois, Woodlake, Fairbanks, Lafayette, Westinghouse, Turtle Creek, New Casta and all other strong teams are requested to write for games. All the players are requested to report for practice on Friday night. There will also be a meeting held at 8 o'clock at the club rooms, for games address Manager East Liberty B. B. Club, Box 42, Station A, Pittsburgh.

The Uniondale Reserves will play their first game with the Mellwoods next Saturday, May 3. This game will be watched closely, as the result will be the testing of their games to be played later in the season. Would like to hear from the Washington A. C. regarding their game to be played May 24. Would also like to hear from some good amateur team for July 4. Address Charles H. Zoller, 504 East street, Allegheny, Pa.

The Franklin school Juniors challenge any 8 to 9-year-old team, the Liberty A. C. and Franklin Juniors preferred. The players are A. Cook, catcher; A. Swerstin, pitcher; B. Smith, first base; J. Shears, second base; A. Silverman, third base; J. Zerbonowitz, shortstop; H. Farlestein, left field; S. Cohen, middle field; J. Swartz, right field; H. Gelanty, substitute. For games address Abe Silverstein, 1224 Clark street, city. We only play Saturday.

The Shady Wallace club of Millvale held its raffle Wednesday night. Ticket No. 401 was the winner. The holder of the ticket can have the lamp by presenting the ticket at L. H. Reeder's store, corner of Sixth and Lincoln avenues. The club will open the season with Bequets of Oakland Saturday at Oakland. The line-up will be as follows: Callahan, catcher; Bealas, pitcher; Teak, shortstop; Young, first base; Hamilton, second base; Donaghy, third base; Zahniser, left field; Davis, center field; Uebl, right field; Dunkinger or Miller, center field.

VERY CLEVER WORK BY LOCAL EXPERTS

CONTESTANTS IN THE BILLIARD TOURNEY SHOW FINE FORM.

Phillippi, the East Ender, Played a Brilliant Up-Hill Game, but Was Defeated—Marshall Won an Easy Game from Powers.

The salient feature of the game at the Great Northern billiard room yesterday afternoon was the uphill work of Mr. Phillippi, the East End expert. Mr. Roberts started off with a rush, and in the first 22 innings had 100 points on his string. Phillippi by this time discovered that the king nine game would not go on his opponent, and he settled down to make billiards himself, instead of figuring out how he could best leave the balls safe. As a result, he almost overtook his antagonist, losing the game by 23 points. Both were scratch men and considerable interest was manifested, especially by the East End contingent, who came in to root for their favorite.

In the evening contest Marshall, scratch, defeated Powers (180), in the easiest possible manner. Both played for points, discarding all idea of safety, but Marshall was in the best playing mood, and during the course of the game, managed to work in three or four fair runs, which had a tendency to discaretin Powers, for whom the balls were breaking badly, and who was unable to settle down to his accustomed game. The players this afternoon are English and Billings, and in the evening Blymer and Jack.

AFTERNOON GAMES.

Roberts—12, 0, 15, 1, 4, 3, 1, 0, 17, 4—5, 17, 0, 0, 3, 0, 3, 6, 14, 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 2, 1, 1, 2, 1, 3, 0, 3, 0, 0, 0, 5, 0, 2, 3, 0, 3, 2, 0, 1, 1, 2, 0, 6, 1, 9, 0, 1, 0, 10, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 2, 1, 3, 0, 2, 2, 0, 1, 0, 3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0, 4, 5, 2, Total, 200. High runs, 17, 17, 15. Average, 2 13-82.

Phillippi—6, 3, 0, 1, 0, 6, 5, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 3, 3, 0, 0, 5, 7, 1, 1, 0, 0, 3, 0, 0, 2, 1, 6, 10, 3, 0, 6, 14, 0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 0, 0, 1, 9, 1, 0, 0, 1, 3, 3, 0, 3, 4, 0, 2, 1, 4, 0, 1, 2, 1, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 9, 1, 0, 2, 1, 5, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 10, 0, 0, 1, 2, 2, 0, 1, 5, 15, 0, 13, Total, 200. High runs, 26, 20, 14. Average, 3 17-81.

Referee—Prof. H. Bowman.

THE TIGER ATHLETICS.

Princeton Boys Show Good Speed in Caledonian Games.

PRINCETON, N. J., May 1.—The annual caledonian track games were held on Princeton university field today and were won by the sophomores, who captured 64 points. The freshmen were second with 37¼ points, the seniors third with 30½ points and the juniors fourth with 11 points. James Phelan, the freshman sprinter, won both the 100 and 220-yard dash, and Nelson Carter, 1904, captured both the hurdle events. R. E. Williams, 1904, took 13 points in the distance events, which was the highest individual score made. Phelan, A. Perry and Gantz of the freshman class did excellent work. One hundred and forty men were entered in the meet, which was the largest ever held here. All the point winners will be permitted to wear their numerals.

High School Teams Will Meet.

The Allegheny High school baseball team will meet the Braddock High school team in their annual baseball game, to be played on the former's grounds, this afternoon. The following players will please report at 2 o'clock at grounds: R. Cox, Rebele, Marloff, Thompson, Graham, Brehm, Hunter, Schaefer, Hamilton, James, Burgess and Prof. Dougan. The battery for A. H. S. will likely be Barnes or James and Burgess. The players thank all students and teachers for their kind support.

THE AQUEDUCT. SPRING MEETING COMES TO AN END

Last Day's Racing Was on a Track That Was Heavy and Slow.

INTRUSIVE WON BIG STAKE

Fonsoluca Led to the Stretch and the Finish Was Very Exciting, Intrusive Winning by a Head—Morris Park Races Open Saturday.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, May 1.—The Aqueduct spring meeting came to a close today, and a big crowd was in attendance. The track, however, was still slow. The feature of the day was the Flushing stakes at one mile and seventy yards. Fonsoluca broke in front and led to the stretch, where Intrusive closed with a rush and beat the gelding a head. Fonsoluca was at 100 to 1. The races begin at Morris Park Saturday with the great Metropolitan handicap as its feauture. Summaries:

First race, seven furlongs, selling—Rough Rider, 110, Burns, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, won; Belle of Milford, 92, Smith, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; Jack Demund, 106, Brennan, 15 to 5 and even, third. Time, 1:30. Magentic, Zemora, Broadstreet, Arbitrator, Handicapper, Bruff and Lone Fisherman also ran.

Second race, 2-year-olds, five furlongs, selling—Warte Nicht, 101, Wonderly, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, won; Joe Cobb, 105, Miller, 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, second; Nixus, 104, Brennan, 7 to 2 and 7 to 5, third. Time, 1:03. Blue Delft, Florestan, Flamboyant, Royal Ensign, Springstead and Miss Gloie also ran.

Third race, five and a half furlongs, handicap—Cervera, 126, Odom, 7 to 5 and 2 to 5, won; Margraviate, 124, Landry, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Petra II., 110, Booker, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 3-5. Eddie Busch, Eloim, Rose, Sterling Fox, Sunshower and Alard Scheck also ran.

Fourth race, the Flushing stakes, one mile and 70 yards—Intrusive, 119, Odom, 9 to 10 and 1 to 5, won; Fonsoluca, 91, G. Thompson, 100 to 1 and 20 to 1, second; Barbara Freitchie, 101, Shea, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:46 3-5. Roysterer, The Puritan, Fatalist and Alsike also ran.

Fifth race, seven furlongs, selling—Meistersinger, 114, Odom, 3 to 5 and out, won; Shandonfield, 105, Booker, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Locket 108, Miles, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:30 2-5. Fred Krupp, Merry Hours, Furlough II., New Amsterdam, Arrah Gowan and Leander also ran.

Sixth race, maiden 2-year-olds, five furlongs—Tugal Bey, 108, Burns, 2 to 1 and 7 to 10, won; Collegian, 108, Miller, 7 to 1 and 3 to 1 second; Nodo 108, Booker, 10 to 1 and 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:04. Adele Harding, Barkelmore, Northbrook, Navigator, Nassau and George W. Dasch also ran.

BOOKS HIT HARD.

Long Shots Proved Good Things at Nashville.

NASHVILLE, TENN., May 1.—At Cumberland park today Crimean was held at the prohibitive price of 1 to 5 in the first race. He was the best and won as he pleased. In the last race Staff was considered a good thing and the books got a good drubbing. Warm weather, clear skies brought out a great crowd and the betting was lively. The track was heavy, but is drying out fast. The meeting closes tomorrow. O'Neil rode three winners. Summary:

First race, six furlongs—Crimean, 112, O'Neil, 1 to 5, won; W. W. Dempster, 102, Gormley, 25 to 1, second; Charley Thompson, 109, Lindsey, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:19½. Declaimer ran.

Second race, one mile—Brulare, 102, Beauchamp, 2½ to 1, won; Aigie M. 98, Lindsey, 9 to 1, second; Lady Strathmore, 103, O'Neil, 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:47½. Ethel Wheat also ran.

Third race, six furlongs, selling—Erema, 107, Dade, 11 to 5, won; Lecturer, 115, Gormley, 15 to 1, second; Hi Kollar, 112, Beauchamp, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:19. Hiseway and Carrie I ran.

Fourth race, five furlongs, selling—Ed Layson, 104, O'Neil, 5 to 1, won; Malto-ferin, 91, Helgerson, 10 to 1, second; Gold Ornament, 103, Beauchamp, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:06. Vogue ran.

Fifth race, four furlongs—Dottie Shute, 105, Lindsey, 15 to 1, won; Harding, 108, Ryan, 4 to 1, second; Gory, 108, Gormley, 4 to 5, third. Time, :52½. Barnacle and Licorice ran.

Sixth race, mile and 20 yards, selling—Staff, 99, O'Neil, 2 to 1, won; Lamp Globe, 108, Beauchamp, 16 to 5, second; Plead, 95, Helgerson, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:49¼. Ocie Brooks, Swordsman and Frank Jones ran.

Entries for Friday:

First race, six furlongs—Joe Martin, 112, Young Henry, Jim Clark, 107; King Daly, 98; *Mattie Spencer, 88.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs—Lev T. Fore and Aft, 110; Quita, Dinks, 107; Stand Pat, 102.

Third race, mile and 70 yards, Carter Memorial stakes—Ethel Wheat, Blink, 106; Ida Ledford, 103; Jordan, 96.

Fourth race, five and one-half furlongs—Aules, 106, Anonymous, 105; Sallie Green, 105; One Answer, 103; Whisky, Whitsle, 101; Comonia, 100.

Fifth race, six furlongs, selling—Tom Collins, 117; Joe Lesser, 112; Masterful, Robert Morrison, Juanetta, Annie Lauretta, 102; Alea, 100; *Pillardist, 99.

Sixth race, selling, six furlongs—Kyloch Park, 107; Aigie M, 105; Claies, 103; Echodale, 101; Orla, 99; Carrie I, 98; Sansparell, 96; Insolence, 84.

*Apprentice allowances.

GOLF AT SHARON.

New Superintendent Is Making a Fine Start.

SHARON, PA., May 1.—(Special.)—Joseph Humphreys, formerly connected with the Gordon Park Golf club of Cleveland, O., has been elected superintendent of the Sharon Golf club. He has laid out a nine-hole course and is getting the grounds in good shape. The club has taken the old Custer farm, east of the town, and will erect a fine club building within a short time. The links comprises a course of over a mile and a half and the players are already frequenting the putting greens to practice the strikes. The links will be in thorough condition by the middle of the present month and then a tournament for professionals will be arranged for. The club now has a membership of 80, but it is thought it will have double the number when ready for starting the game.

The English Golf Tourney.

LONDON, May 1.—The conclusion of the fifth round of the amateur golf championship games at Howlake today left F. W. Robb, R. Maxwell, G. Hutchings and S. H. Fry to contest the semi-finals. Fry defeated H. H. Hilton, the present champion, this morning. In the semi-final Hutchings beat Robb by 2 up and 1 to play, and Fry defeated Maxwell by one hole.

Altoona Teams Combined.

ALTOONA, PA., May 1.—(Special.)—The Monarch and Juniata baseball teams, both prime favorites and stern rivals in the past on the local diamond, buried the hatchet today and combined their teams and interests. Manager George Russell, the successful handler of the Monarch team in former seasons, will manage the new combination, which will be called the Monatas. The formal opening is to be with the Windsor Athletic club of Pittsburgh, or Johnstown nine, on May 17.

Normals Play Waynesburg.

CALIFORNIA, PA., May 1.—The Normals contemplate crossing bats with Waynesburg college men at Waynesburg on Saturday, May 3. This is only the second game for Normals, others were deferred on account of rain. The first game on April 26 was won from Charleroi 7 to 4.

Additional Sporting on Page 8.

Any Pair of Men's Bike or Golf Pants in the House, formerly sold at $5, $4, $3 and $2.50, now..... $1.00

SOLOMON AND RUBEN

SMITHFIELD AND DIAMOND-STS.

Any Men's Bike Suit in the House, unlimited choice of Suits which were $8, $6 and $5, now..... $3.00

The Best Clothing News in Many a Day.

Abont ten days ago our clothing buyer found the Eastern market in a somewhat demoralized condition owing to recent unseasonable weather. Wholesale tailors had experienced a record-breaking business earlier in the season, and, expecting it to keep up, worked at a high pressure to supply the expected demand. But a severe set-back has been received in the last few weeks, and as the wholesale season practically closes May 1st, prices came tumbling down to save the day.

Prompt action and the liberal use of cash secured for us some large lots of superior clothing at sacrifice prices. The finest of ready-to-wear garments thus came into our possession at fractional cost and we intend to give our customers the benefit. Today we start the sale of these underprice garments—attire that is not to be judged by its price—but rightfully belongs to much higher priced grades. 'Twill be a bargain feast for those who have yet to buy Spring or Summer clothing, and for those who have already bought 'twould be profitable to buy again for future wants at these unprecedented and diminished figures quoted here.

Surprising Values in Men's Suits.

These suits are not to be compared with the average offerings at $9.00 or even $12.00. The advantages gained by our recent purchases, told about above, are no better illustrated than in these superior values. Made from stylish cheviots, serges, cassimeres and worsteds in the fancy or plain colorings. Well lined and tailered. Cut in the correct sack styles and finished with that care which goes to make up a satisfactory suit. Would command in any other store in the country several dollars more than our marvelously low price of..... $9.00

Men's Dependable Suits.

Those cash purchases included about 500 suits of a reliable grade, which we especially commend to the man with a limited pocketbook who desires to be neatly dressed. Made from a selection of stylish and good wearing materials, such as cassimeres, cheviots and worsteds. Cut in the correct sack style, lined with good Italian cloth and trimmed and finished in a manner exceptional at this low price. By rights should bring more money than our extremely modest price of..... $6.50

Men's Suits Not to Be Duplicated.

The price of these suits is modest, but the quality, thanks to our immense purchases, is high. Sack styles, either single or double breasted. Made from the latest suitings in a large range of the popular patterns and colors, including black and blue. The workmanship and fit of these suits will satisfy discriminating men, while the price is down lower than such thoroughly up-to-date and dependable suits ever sold for before. Suits that any man would deem worthy of wearing, and are equal to the average made to measure work at twice our attractive price of..... $13.50

At $15, $18, $20, $25 and $30 We Present Superior Garments.

The highest grade of ready-to-wear Suits and Overcoats for Spring wear are exemplified in our showing, comprising a carefully selected line of suits from the leading tailors of the country. Your custom tailor would have to ask at least one-half more than our prices for no finer garments in fit, character and exclusiveness.

Our Clothing Finds Much Favor With the Young Men.

The average young man from 16 to 20 years of age wants distinctive style and pattern in his attire. For him these recent purchases of ours have produced rare inducements. Here are over twenty-five styles especially for the young men, every one a winner, and underpriced.

Young Men's Suits, special lot of about 360 suits secured by our purchases, including blue or black cheviots and the latest fancy cassimeres and worsteds. Smart styles, well tailored Extraordinary value at..... $6.00

Young Men's Suits, the nobbiest single or double-breasted sack styles ever shown at a popular price. Made of splendid all-wool suitings in the latest striking patterns and colors. Not to be duplicated even at several dollars more money..... $10.00

Young Men's Suits of Highest Grades at $12.50, $15, and $18.

The Boys' Clothing Prices Have Tumbled Down, Too.

At the same time our manager was in the East buying heavily of Men's Clothing on the declining market, he secured several large lots of Boys' Clothing. The like condition of an overstocked market confronted the makers of boys' wear, and big sacrifices were made in important instances. These underprice goods are now on our counters—the prices tell a phenomenal bargain story. We will not be undersold and have demonstrated our power of low-price making again in a decisive manner. More than this—we show a larger number of up-to-date and original styles than found under any other roof in town.

Boys' Sailor Suits. Made of all-wool serges in navy blue, red and brown, trimmed with soutache braid and embroidery, some with silk ties. Priced at $5.00, $3.90, $2.50, $1.90 and..... 98c

Special. For this Friday and Saturday. A limited lot of Boys' Fine Dress Suits, secured by our great purchases, made of imported worsteds, cheviots and serges in correct colorings. Coats lined or skeleton made. Exceptionally well tailored and rare value at..... $5.00

Boys' Three-Piece Suits. Coat, vest and knee pants. Made of all-wool materials in the latest fancy checks, stripes and solid colorings, including blue and black serges. Priced from $8, $6 and $5 down to..... $3.00

Boys' Two-Piece Suits. Double-breasted coats and knee pants. Made of the latest worsteds and cheviots, in solid colors or neat patterns. Well made and extra values at $5.00, $3.90 $3.00 to..... $1.50

Boys' Norfolk Suits. The correct styles for dress and outing wear. Made of fancy cheviots, serges, cassimeres and worsteds, in splendid selection. Hundreds of styles, priced at $8, $5, $3.90 down to..... $1.75

Boys' Knee Pants. No one ever saw before such an immense selection of knee pants in every imaginable pattern and coloring. A host of bargains at $1.50, $1.25, 98c, 75c, 48c, 34c and 17c.

Boys' Wash Suits. The latest summer styles, cute and original, made from thoroughly washable materials in neat and careful manner. Priced at $4.50, $3.50, $2.90, $1.90, $1.50, $1.25 and 98c.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Department of Public Works,
City of Allegheny, May 1, 1902.

NOTICE TO DEALERS IN AUTOMATIC STOKERS, SMOKELESS FURNACES AND STACKS.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received in the office of the city comptroller until 9:30 a. m., on the 12th day of May, 1902, for automatic stokers, smokeless furnaces and stacks for four 250 H. P. boilers.

Plans and specifications can be seen and all information obtained at the office of the superintendent of public lighting, Braddock street, Allegheny, Pa.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond, with two sureties probated before the city comptroller, or the bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinance of councils for furnishing bonds for city contracts; bonds to be in the sum of one-half the estimated cost of said work.

The city recorder and the director of the department of public works reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the city recorder at 10 o'clock a. m., on Monday, May 12, 1902.

JOHN R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

ROBERT M'AFEE,
Director of the Department of Public Works.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Department of Public Works,
City of Allegheny, May 1, 1902.

NOTICE TO DEALERS IN PUMPING ENGINES.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city comptroller until 2 o'clock p. m., on the 16th day of May, 1902, for the purchase of two (2) fifteen (15) million gallon pumping engines, with excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at the Montrose pumping station.

Plans and specifications can be seen and all information obtained at the office of the superintendent of water supply and distribution, city hall, Allegheny, Pa.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond, with two sureties probated before the city comptroller, or the bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinance of councils for furnishing bonds for city contracts; bonds to be in the sum of one-half the estimated cost of said work.

The city recorder and the director of the department of public works reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the city recorder at 3 o'clock p. m., on Monday, May 19, 1902.

JOHN R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

ROBERT M'AFEE,
Director of the Department of Public Works.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Department of Public Works,
City of Allegheny, May 1, 1902.

NOTICE TO DEALERS IN PUMPING ENGINES.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city comptroller until 2 o'clock p. m., on the 16th day of May, 1902, for the purchase of one (1) five (5) million gallon pumping engine, with the excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at the Howard street pumping station.

Plans and specifications can be seen and all information obtained at the office of the superintendent of water supply and distribution, city hall, Allegheny, Pa.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond, with two sureties probated before the city comptroller, or the bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinance of councils for furnishing bonds for city contracts; bonds to be in the sum of one-half the estimated cost of said work.

The city recorder and the director of the department of public works reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the city recorder at 3 o'clock p. m., on Friday, May 16, 1902.

JOHN R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

ROBERT M'AFEE,
Director of the Department of Public Works.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Department of Public Works,
City of Allegheny, May 1, 1902.

NOTICE TO DEALERS IN BOILERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received in the office of the city comptroller until 2 o'clock p. m., on the 16th day of May, 1902, for the purchase of two (2) two hundred fifty (250) horse power water tube boilers, with excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at the Howard street pumping station.

Plans and specifications can be seen and all information obtained at the office of the superintendent of water supply and distribution, city hall, Allegheny, Pa.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond, with two sureties probated before the city comptroller, or the bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinance of councils for furnishing bonds for city contracts; bonds to be in the sum of one-half the estimated cost of said work.

The city recorder and the director of the department of public works reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the city recorder at 3 o'clock p. m., on Friday, May 16, 1902.

JOHN R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

ROBERT M'AFEE,
Director of the Department of Public Works.

GENERAL BROOKE AND WATRES NOW THE FAVORITES

The Rise of the Former Is Bringing Active Supporters to the Latter.

LEADERS HOLDING ALOOF

Quay's Chief Concern Is to Get the Best Men as Delegates to the Convention, and Uninstructed—Figures Show He Is Succeeding.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, 633 Fifteenth St., N. W. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.

Commissioner of Insurance I. W. Durham and friends, who have been spending the past two weeks at the Virginia Hot Springs, arriving here early this morning and this afternoon left for Philadelphia. After breakfast this morning Mr. Durham, accompanied by Senator Penrose, proceeded to Senator Quay's house, where he was in conference with the two senators until about 1 o'clock.

When seen afterward Mr. Durham declined to discuss politics for publication, as did also Senator Penrose. Senator Quay denied that there had been a political conference, in the sense that the term is generally used. The statement that the meeting was to decide upon a candidate for governor is strongly denied.

Senators Quay and Penrose and Commissioner Durham still deny that they intend to select the governor, as that is the prerogative of the convention. Their present efforts are to secure a convention composed largely of the best men in the party and without instructions. Their advices point to about 250 uninstructed delegates in the convention out of the total of 558, and with the convention absolutely out of the control of the Stone machine the leaders will await developments. Of the delegates already elected it is known now that more than a majority are anti-Elkin and have so advised the leaders. Many of them are claimed by Mr. Elkin solely because they were organization men.

Candidacies of Brooke and Watres.

Among the members of the delegation in the house the impression is growing that Maj. Gen. Brooke will be the man selected by the leaders for the nomination. His friends are actively at work all over the state. He and ex-Lieut. Gov. Watres are the only anti-Elkin candidates in the field, although many others are mentioned. While the impression prevails that Gen. Brooke may be slated by the leaders, this is having the effect of bringing supporters to Mr. Watres. A number of the members of the delegation said today, although they would not allow themselves to be quoted, that they would prefer the nomination of Mr. Watres to that of Gen. Brooke.

Senator Quay decided today that while at Harrisburg during the state convention he would make his headquarters at the house of John Weiss. Senator Penrose and Insurance Commissioner Durham have leased a large house on Capitol hill, not far from Mr. Weiss' home. In addition the two senators and Mr. Durham have engaged at both the Lochiel and Commonwealth hotels a number of rooms for the accommodation of their friends and for consultation purposes.

Andrews Refuses to Come Out.

State Senator Sisson, County Chairman Hays and Alfred Short of Erie county, with some Republicans from Warren county, were at the capitol today in conference with Senators Quay and Penrose on local political matters. The delegation also called upon Col. Wesley R. Andrews and urged him to make a public announcement of his candidacy for governor. They assured him that he could count on the votes of all the delegates from Crawford, Erie and Warren counties as a starter. Mr. Andrews thanked them for their kind words, but would not agree to openly announce his candidacy.

Representative Connell will leave tomorrow for Scranton on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Connell. Tonight he called upon Senator Quay and spent some time with him.

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

TENDER ON AGUINALDO.

Carmack Thinks that the Filipino George Washington Should Be Given a Chance.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—Aguinaldo was the special subject of discussion in the senate today. As soon as the Philippine government's bill was taken up Mr. Carmack resumed his criticism of the Philippine committee for its refusal to call Aguinaldo and other Filipinos as witnesses. He maintained that as reflections by witnesses had been cast upon the character of Aguinaldo he ought to be permitted, "in all decency," to defend himself.

Mr. Carmack's contention was sharply combated by Messrs. Foraker, McComas and Burton.

Mr. Culberson, in support of a statement by Mr. Carmack that the war department suppressed information and falsified the Philippine situation, presented a letter from the secretary of war which, he thought, was proof of the Tennessee senator's assertion. The secretary stated in the letter that it was not practicable to supply the information requested because no special account was kept of Philippine war expenses, and it would require the services of a large force of clerks to work out the information desired.

The house gave most of the day to the District of Columbia appropriation bill.

THE PENSION ROLL.

Veterans, Their Widows and Dependents Provided For.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—The following pensions were granted today:

Pennsylvania — William Price, Erie, $8; George Warne, New Castle, $6; John C. Daterson, Erie, $13; George Gurley, Ebensburg, $30; Charles Helper, Grampian, $17; George W. Parker, Raymond, $16; Socrates Hill, Hadley, $6; Jacob A. Peters, Kittanning, $8; Nathaniel G. Wilson, Bellevue, $8; Robert D. Williams, Martinown, $17; John M. Markley, Snow Shoe, $24; John E. Forbes, Grantboro, $8; Thomas J. Ovee, Port Royal, $12; Harmon Whipkey, Mayer, $15; David R. Phillips, Cranberry, $17; Eli Isenburg, Berlinger, $10; Smith Harington, Erie, $12; Almond Delamater, Meadville, $45; Eunice Seward, Miles Grove, $8; Carolina Parrett, East Troy, $12; Mary E. Singley, Pittsburgh, $20; Obie—Ralph A. Wood, East Liverpool, $17; Charles H. Andrus, Rock Creek, $6; Abram S. Hoagland, Keene, $14; John C. Kuhn, Coldwater, $17; Howard M. Hughes, West Farmington, $12; Patrick O'Brien, Steubenville, $12; Robert F. Alexander, Cutler, $10; Benjamin D. Lowe, Middletown, $17; Scudre R. Little, Hunter, $13; Robert C. Baxter, Carrollton, $24; Sumner Stoughton, Windsor, $10; John W. Griffith, Salem, $24; John H. Morrison, Lisbon, $24; Margaretta McAbee, Canton, $8; Sarah McArter, Barnesville, $8; Barbara Dilloff, Newcan, $12.

West Virginia—William Raynolds, Moundsville, $8; Johnathan E. Kidd, Clarksburg, $10; John Vance, Clendenin, $8. Garrett Conn, Buchanon, $12.

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SOCIALISTS HELD THEIR CELEBRATION

INTERNATIONAL HOLIDAY WAS OBSERVED HERE YESTERDAY.

Parade Was Followed by Meeting in Party's Hall in Wylie Avenue—Lucien Sanial Told of Organization's Growth Throughout the World.

The Socialist Labor party of Pittsburgh met last night in its hall at No. 510 Wylie avenue to hear an address by Lucien Sanial of New York, one of the most eminent men of the party. He told of the rapid growth of the party. The meeting was preceded by a parade, which formed in Water street and consisted of a delegation from the South Side and one from Pittsburgh. Headed by a band they marched over the principal streets of Pittsburgh and then to the hall. The celebration was in honor of the Socialists' international holiday, which occurs on May 1.

The room was filled with men and women to welcome the marchers. The paraders came upstairs, leaving the band below, and there was a noisy time for a while. When Felix Schulberg rapped for order there was silence in a minute, and he started to talk, introducing the speaker of the evening.

Mr. Schulberg's address was greeted with applause, and he then presented Mr. Sanial, after making a plea for money to assist in defraying the expenses of the cause. Mr. Sanial is a man of venerable appearance, well educated, and well read on the subject of which he speaks.

He started out by proposing three cheers for international socialism and three cheers for the Socialist Labor party. Both were given with a will, and then he started his speech. He said in part:

"The first man to comprehend the baleful effects of the present system of capitalism fought in the wake of Lafayette for American liberty. Since then there have been revolts, like 1848 and 1871, which we all know about. These have helped us, but the system of wage slavery is an abomination. Labor is sold like a bushel of potatoes. Things go along until there are only a few remain, and then these few say: 'Wolves do not eat each other. Let us form a trust.'

"I have been in this country since the civil war. I came here in 1863 as the correspondent of a great European paper. Twenty-five years ago I could not get 12 men together to hear my voice. Now when we call a meeting we cannot get a hall big enough. We have to talk from Union square, the largest open space in New York. In 1891 I came to Pittsburgh and could not get 10 men together to hear me talk. Now I look out on this hall, filled with people. Marks established the first international socialism. All working classes were against him because Napoleon Bonaparte had squeezed the life out of the republic of France. As soon as the republic was proclaimed again in France they formed a ghost on the Commune. In 1890, one year after the congress in Paris, the Socialists of Germany cast 1,400,000 votes. Bismarck got his sack from the very monarch he had made. At the last election in Germany 2,500,000 men voted the Socialist ticket, and at the next one we should have 3,000,000."

FESSENDEN'S SYSTEM IS ALMOST COMPLETE

If He Fails to Make an Arrangement With the Weather Bureau He May Go on His Own Hook.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—Prof. R. A. Fessenden, formerly of Pittsburgh, who has charge of the wireless telegraphy experiments of the weather bureau along the Virginia and North Carolina coast, arrived here today and conferred with Secretary of Agriculture Wilson and Prof. Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau.

It has been rumored that Prof. Fessenden is about to resign from the weather bureau to put the results of his work to commercial use, but this is a question still unsettled. If the weather bureau continues to back Prof. Fessenden in his work it is intended to have the results inure to the interests of the government service generally and not to the bureau alone.

Prof. Fessenden announced today that his system is now practically complete and that the work for the next few months will be the perfection of details. He claims that he has succeeded in sending messages overland by his system, but Prof. Moore contends that overland communication so far has failed, signals and not messages. Prof. Fessenden said today:

"We have found that salt water is the best conductor of the waves; land comes next in order; then fresh water, and lastly sand. The methods used both in receiving and sending are entirely different from those used in any other system. The high masts now used in this work furnish the only point of similarity with other systems, and we have found a means of doing away with them; not at present, however, on account of the fact that the apparatus supplanting them requires the construction of special machinery and of special manufacturing devices. We will abandon the high masts entirely within two years."

APPROVED THE ACTION.

Course of Board of Directors Was Indorsed by the Chamber of Commerce.

A regular monthly meeting of the chamber of commerce was held yesterday and the action of the board of directors in expressing the body's opinion on the Chinese exclusion bill and the proposed change in the height of the Allegheny river bridges was approved.

The Chinese exclusion act has already been passed, and the protest against the shutting out of the Celestials "as Chinese" had no appreciable effect in the matter. The resolution asking that a clause be incorporated in the rivers and harbors bill, now before congress, including the Allegheny river bridges in the list of those which will be examined to determine whether they are a detriment to navigation has already been forwarded to Congressman John Dalzell.

Several applications for membership in the chamber were approved. Chairman Kelly saying that it was usual for the board of directors to approve them first, but as there was no question but that the board's action would be favorable, it would expedite the admission of the applicants if the chamber itself would act on the names immediately. The applicants are F. T. F. Lovejoy, the Pittsburgh Steel Company, John G. Holmes and Henry W. Oliver.

INJUNCTION DISSOLVED.

Attempt to Restrain Pressed Steel Car Co. from Purchasing Plant Futile.

NEW YORK, May 1.—An injunction restraining the Pressed Steel Car Company from acquiring a large interest in the Hegewitch Car plant at Chicago was dissolved today in Jersey City by Vice Chancellor Stevenson.

It was alleged that the directors proposed paying an excessive price for the plant of the Illinois Car & Equipment Company. In dissolving the injunction Vice Chancellor Stevenson declared that no evidence that the directors had acted in an illegal manner had been presented. Whether it was a wise venture or not was for them to decide.

Wilmerding Postmaster's New Term.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—(Special.)—Harry P. Patch of Wilmerding, Pa., was today renominated by the president postmaster of that town. Clifton G. Ducomb, Ashland, O.; Atwell E. Ferguson, Gibsonburg, O., and Manning M. Rose, Marietta, O., also were nominated.

ELKIN EXPECTED IN CITY TODAY TO FIX FENCES

Manager R. B. Scandrett Has a Long Conference With Him in Harrisburg.

RIPPING AT COURT HOUSE

Recorder Von Bonnhorst Removes a Young Woman Clerk and Chief Deputy Coroner Mark Donley Is Decapitated.

Some of Attorney General John P. Elkin's friends expect him in Pittsburgh today. When he left here last week he hoped to return about this time.

Richard B. Scandrett, the local Elkin manager, was in Harrisburg yesterday consulting with his chief. So far, no attempt has been made to start a campaign for delegates. If Elkin comes today this question will no doubt be passed upon finally.

Changes were made yesterday in the offices of county recorder and coroner. It is said that it is the beginning of a movement at the courthouse to weed out all on the pay roll who are not loyal to the machine and who have disloyal relatives.

Recorder George M. Von Bonnhorst is credited with removing Miss June Wood from a $50 a month position in the transcribing room. Friends of the young woman charge that it was done because W. H. Wood, her uncle, refused to stand as a delegate for Von Bonnhorst in the Fourteenth ward. She is said to have secured her position through the efforts of the Fergusons, who are strong organization supporters in the Fourteenth ward. Because of the removal their assistance will be lost to the machine.

Mark Donley Removed.

Coroner Jesse McGeary removed Chief Deputy Mark Donley and gave his place to Louis Huchel, at present a deputy. His position is filled by Charles Young of Allegheny. Donley went into the office over 15 years ago. During most of the time he represented the Twenty-fourth ward in common council and obeyed machine orders implicitly. Owing to the provision of the charter act he could not hold his job and a seat in council. He did not attempt a re-election and the Citizens captured his ward. Now he is off the pay roll.

The "yellow kid" as the policemen call the machine's political assessment book, is being passed around. All city employes are requested to contribute 2 per cent of their salaries. Some of the place holders say that they will not settle. To refuse will probably mean decapitation.

Roger O'Mara, who has probably "passed" the books a number of times while on the payroll, is loud in his denunciation of this system of gathering the sinews of political war. He says that the machine does not need money to conduct the primaries in June. There will evidently not be any contest, as the slate will go through. In his opinion it is unfair to make the placeholders pay the expenses of the campaign.

Make the Big Fellows Pay.

O'Mara would put the tariff on those who reap the larger benefits from political control. If payroll men take the advice of O'Mara they will refuse to sign the "kid."

A number of the city employes say that they will pay their assessments, but assistance to the machine will end with their financial aid. Under the protection of a secret ballot they promise to knife the ring and use their best efforts to see that their friends do the same thing.

Emil Sparr, ex-councilman from the Thirteenth ward, has finally got his reward from the machine. He turned up yesterday with a commission on the board of city assessors. Sparr claims to control the German vote in the Thirteenth ward, and was promised a place on the payroll prior to the city election. The assessorship to which he was appointed by Recorder J. O. Brown has been vacant since the removal of Maj. A. M. Brown as recorder.

NEW TRUST COMPANY

Charter Was Secured for Union Trust Company of Clairton.

A Pennsylvania charter was secured yesterday at Harrisburg for the Union Trust Company of Clairton, the seat of the extensive new furnace and steel plant of the St. Clair Furnace and Steel companies, subsidiary to the Crucible Steel Company of America. The trust company, capitalized at $125,000, is being organized chiefly by interests of the Crucible and St. Clair companies, and its board of directors, to be named in a day or two, will include a number of the officers of these companies and some of the directors of the Union Trust Company of Pittsburgh. A modern two-story banking house is in course of erection at Clairton for the home of the trust company. It will be ready for occupancy within the next two months.

In connection with the new steel plant at Clairton it is proposed to add a Bessemer mill to contain two 10-ton vessels. The first of the three blast furnaces will be blown in probably in November and the last will follow early in the new year. Four of the 12 50-ton open-hearth furnaces will be started in July and the others in the fall.

KISSED HIS FAMILY AND THEN SUICIDED

FRED H. JAMES, AN ORGAN BUILDER, TOOK HIS LIFE.

He Constantly Feared Death and Was Possessed of an Idea That an Unknown Man Sought His Life—His Sad Farewell.

After embracing his wife and kissing her and his three children, Fred H. James went to his room and committed suicide by shooting himself in the head with a revolver in his home at No. 1203 Race street, Allegheny, at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He died instantly. He was 33 years old and was a pipe organ repairer and tuner. James was also an expert swimmer and was well known in athletic circles of this city.

James went to work yesterday morning as usual, making repairs on the large organ in St. Peter's Roman Catholic church. He returned home at noon for dinner and acted strangely. His wife paid no attention to him, as he had been moody for five weeks.

He walked over to her, and, placing his arms about her neck, kissed her and then his three children. He told his wife he was going to his room to look over some books. After he had been upstairs for about 10 minutes Mrs. James heard a shot. She rushed to his room and found the door locked. Breaking open the door she found her husband lying across the bed, the blood oozing from a small hole in the right side of his head. She ran downstairs and called for help and Dr. E. P. Logan was summoned. James was dead when the doctor reached his side.

James had been possessed for six months by an idea that someone was seeking his life. He would sit up at night in his room with a revolver in his hand. He would not walk in the streets alone. He said that he expected to be shot down in the streets almost any time, but never gave the reason his proposed assailant had for taking his life.

James was born in Leeds, England, in 1869. He came to this country when quite young and settled in Allegheny. He performed many difficult feats in the water. He had charge of the organs in the following churches: St. Peter's Roman Catholic of Allegheny, St. Peter's Episcopal of Pittsburgh, St. Peter's Roman Catholic of Pittsburgh and the Beaver college music hall. He also had charge of the organ in the Allegheny Carnegie library.

He is survived by his wife, Emma, and three children, Lena, 8 years old; Florence, 5 years old, and Gordon, 3 years old.

ATTRACTIVE GOLF EVENTS AT SEWICKLEY

Lively Interest Taken in New Course of Allegheny Country Club, Which Will Open May 17.

The chief attention of that portion of Pittsburgh which annually dons its golfing tweeds has been directed this season towards the new 18-hole course of the Allegheny Country club, back of Sewickley. As the only course in Western Pennsylvania ranking with the crack courses of the country, and the only one capable of providing for a national event, it is only natural that a lively interest is taken in the new course.

The course will open on Saturday, May 17, with an 18-hole handicap medal play contest for men and there will be an elaborate social opening of the magnificent clubhouse in addition to the golf play. The spring schedule sets aside Fridays for the women's events and there will be an abundance of social events on those days.

The proposition to run automobiles between the course and Sewickley station has been abandoned in favor of a 'bus line. Sixteen minutes up and 10 minutes down are the time allowances figured on. The macadamized roadway from Sewickley out the Watson hollow and the Country club's private road will both be in readiness for the opening on May 17. An elaborate gateway is to be constructed at the entrance to the club property. The clubhouse was connected last week with the water supply from the immense tank which supplies the residents on Sewickley Heights.

The Allegheny golfers are congratulating themselves upon the excellent condition of the greens, which have been pronounced superior to any in Allegheny county. The greens, with the exception of the "bowl," are all 100 feet square. The complete schedule is as follows:

Saturday, May 17—Handicap medal play, tournament for men, cup presented by Mr. C. P. Nicola.

Friday, May 23—Handicap tournament for women, cup presented by Mr. John Moorhead, Jr.

Saturday, May 24—Medal play, handicap contest for men, 27 holes, lowest six gross scores to qualify for next three as substitutes. Cup for contest offered by Mr. J. C. Oliver.

Wednesday, May 28—Allegheny Country club vs. Edgewood, at Edgewood.

Friday, May 30—Handicap medal play, tournament for women, cup presented by Mrs. Darlington.

Saturday, May 31—Handicap medal play, tournament for men, cup presented by Mr. W. J. Patton.

Wednesday, June 4—Allegheny Country club vs. Edgeworth, at Sewickley.

Friday, June 6—Medal play handicap, tournament for women, cup presented by Mrs. Darlington.

Saturday, June 7—Handicap medal play for men, cup presented by Mr. B. F. Jones, Jr.

Wednesday, June 11—Allegheny Country club vs. Pittsburgh, at Schenley park.

Friday, June 13—Tournament for women, cup presented by Mr. C. D. Thompson.

Saturday, June 14—Tournament for men, cup presented by Mr. W. N. Murray.

Wednesday, June 18—Allegheny Country club vs. Westmoreland, on Allegheny's course.

Friday, June 20—Tournament for women, cup presented by Mrs. B. F. Jones.

Saturday, June 21—Tournament for men, cup presented by Mr. G. W. Nicola.

Wednesday, June 25—Allegheny Country club vs. Highland, at Highland park.

Saturday, June 28—All-Pittsburgh vs. All-Philadelphia, 10-man team match, in annual series, at Philadelphia.

July 9, 10 and 11—Allegheny Country club open tournament.

COURT-MARTIAL AGAIN ORDERED IN PHILIPPINES

Maj. Glenn and Others Implicated in the Water Cure Will Be Tried.

GEN. GRANT TO PRESIDE

Lieut. Conger and Capt. Lyon to Stand Trial in This Country if Developments in Samar Justify. Aguinaldo's Statement.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., May 1.—By direction of the president another court-martial was ordered today to meet in Samar to try officers guilty of practicing atrocities upon natives of the Philippine islands. This order is specifically for the trial of "Maj. Edwin F. Glenn, Fifth infantry, and such other persons as may be brought before it." The other persons will be all those who, as a result of investigation which Maj.-Gen. Chaffee is now engaged in making, may be charged with being guilty of cruelty toward Filipinos.

Maj. Glenn is one of the officers charged with ordering that the water cure be administered to the presidente of Igbarras, island of Panay. The order was carried out, it was charged, by Lieut. Arthur L. Conger, Eighteenth infantry, assisted by Capt. and Assistant Surgeon Lyon. Any officers who may be found implicated in the atrocities alleged to have been perpetrated will be ordered before the court of which Gen. Grant is president.

The Glenn court will meet at Catbalogan, Samar, on May 12.

Cases of Conger and Lyon.

Lieut. A. L. Conger, Eighteenth infantry, and Capt. Palmer H. Lyon, assistant surgeon of volunteers, who were said to have been associated with Maj. Glenn in the torture of the presidente, are now in this country. Their cases are being investigated by Judge Advocate-General Davis with a view to determining the advisability of trying them by court-martial. It is now said such action will depend to a considerable extent on the evidence adduced at the trial of Maj. Glenn.

In continuing his testimony before the senate Philippines committee today Gen. MacArthur said that during the Spanish war Gen. Merritt was under the strictest orders not to commit the government, but Aguinaldo was anxious to make an artificial record which would oblige Gen. Merritt to do something he did not wish to do. Gen. MacArthur spoke of the capture of papers from high Filipino officials in which the information was contained that if President McKinley should be re-elected the insurgents would surrender.

Aguinaldo Changes His Opinion.

Before leaving Manila Gen. MacArthur said he had a conversation with Aguinaldo, who told him that he had been misinformed as to the character of the American people and the purposes of the American government. Aguinaldo also had told him it would be impossible, at this stage of their evolution, for his own people to establish a stable, independent government.

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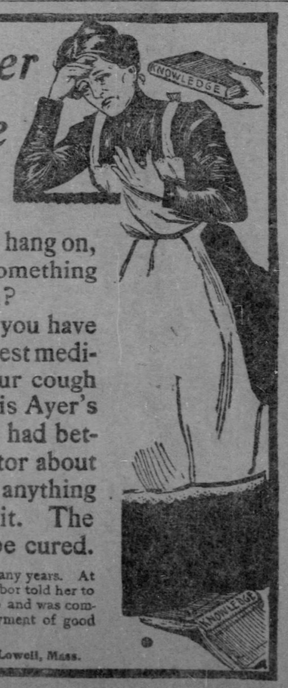

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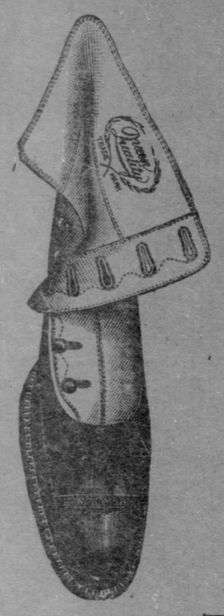

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THE OXFORDS.
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Young and old alike like them and wear them.
Many styles out for this Summer, but we don't mind saying the favorite is the Colonial.
In the opposite column we give a bit of news about Colonials that you may not have heard.
Queen Quality Oxfords sell for $2.50 and $3.
There is choice from some twenty styles, so its not likely you'll miss your idea.

Perhaps we ought not to say it, but women can make their own Colonials—or rather they can put any oxford into colonial style.
It's all in the tongue and buckle.
We sell tongues and buckles and the two will cost 50c—so if you have a pair of good oxfords from last Summer you can turn them into Colonials without the least trouble.
The Shoe Store is on the second floor of the annex and it is fixed up just the way women like.

Hardly worth while illustrating Colonial Oxfords, still it's just possible some women have not familiarized themselves with it. This is the shoe—just the same kind that our great grandmothers thought so much of in the days of Washington. It's a quaint shoe withal perfectly satisfactory—and that's the first consideration.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 310.)

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating the sum of five hundred ($500.00) dollars annually for the support and maintenance of Company H, Fourteenth regiment National Guard of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That in pursuance of the power conferred by the act of assembly entitled "An act extending to cities of the second class the provisions of the act of May 24, 1887, pamphlet laws 182, which authorizes cities of the second class to appropriate annually the sum not exceeding five hundred ($500.00) dollars for the support and maintenance of each company of the National Guard," approved April 11, 1899, there is hereby appropriated for the current fiscal year ending February 28, 1902, out of appropriation No. 41, contingent fund, the sum of five hundred ($500.00) dollars for the support and maintenance of Company H, Fourteenth regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby provided that, annually, at the time when other appropriations are made, a like sum of five hundred ($500.00) dollars shall be appropriated for the support and maintenance of Company H, Fourteenth regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, for the year in which such appropriations are made.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 17th day of April, A. D. 1902.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN M. GOEHRING,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., April 28, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.

J. R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

(No. 311.)

AN ORDINANCE—Repealing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the construction of a lateral sewer on Massachusetts avenue, Eleventh ward, from Davis avenue to Falck avenue," approved October 31, 1901.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common council of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the construction of a lateral sewer on Massachusetts avenue, Eleventh ward, from Davis avenue to Falck avenue," approved October 31, 1901, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 17th day of April, A. D. 1902.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN M. GOEHRING,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., April 28, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.

J. R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS—Sealed proposals will be received by school board of Fifteenth ward, city of Allegheny, Pa., until 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, May 13, 1902, for floors, plastering, cement work, interior wood work, iron stairs, painting and glazing, marble and tile work, plumbing and sewering, electric work, heating, grading lot, retaining walls, etc., necessary for completion of North End school building, in Meyran avenue, Fifteenth ward, city of Allegheny, Pa., according to drawings and specifications made for same by Messrs. Allison & Topp, architects, Westinghouse building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the architects, on and after Monday, April 28, 1902. Sealed proposals to be sent to and be in the hands of the secretary, John Jackson, Benton ave., Allegheny, Pa., on or before noon of Tuesday, May 13, 1902. The school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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BOY to work in printing office; also job press feeders. Ewens & Eberle, 210 Third ave.

BUSHELMEN tailors at once. Apply Arnfeld-Fox ave.

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...Experienced in taking good care of ... stable. R. J. Monaghan & Co., 41 Twenty-second st. South ...

...AN—Practical electrician; only ... to take charge running of gas engine ... CAMPBELLS, FIFTH AVE.

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MEN WANTED—Two or three men to work from wagon about city. C. F. Adams Co., ...

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Oldest, largest, best; banks, R. R. Co.'s and offices highly recommend us; men seeking employment call 120 Sixth st.

WHEN tired and weary of seeking employment call upon us; we place thousands yearly. STAR EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
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PAINTERS and car-housemen for railroads and ... firms at once. STAR EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 120 Sixth st.

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FIREMAN not afraid of work, strong and willing, wants work. Address STAR, 120 Sixth st.

OFFICE ASSISTANT with experience in shipping, entry and stock; 7 years' reference; seeks employment. Address STAR, 120 Sixth st.

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WORK—A hustler desires work as watchman, porter or warehouseman; strong and willing. Address STAR, 120 Sixth st.

Situations—Female.

SITUATION wanted by two colored girls in private family; city. E. E. preferred. 200 Park way, cor. Sandusky, Allegheny.

Partners.

PARTNER—A party with $5,000 to $10,000 to help push a patent electric street car switch. The same is very simple and durable. Patent has just been issued. Call or address 128 Smithfield st.

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Apartment; completely furnished; 7 rooms; gases, electric light; janitor and telephone services furnished free; will rent from May 1 to October 1; $60.
S. H. LLOYD, 6016 Penn ave., E. E., Pittsburgh.

"THE MONTANA AND IDAHO" apartments of six rooms; steam heat, hot water; janitor service; screens and shades furnished free; hardwood finish throughout; $40, $50.
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Princeton Place, Near Station.
Apartment of 4 rooms and bath; steam heat and hot water for entire apartment furnished free; $25.
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307 Fourth ave.

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FOR RENT—Desk room on third floor, Frick Building. Apply to the Audit Company of Pittsburgh, room 302.

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MODERN HOMES—EASY PAYMENTS.
BELMAR PLACE.
$2,200.
5-room brick,
$320 cash, balance $25 monthly.
$4,150.
6-room brick,
$415 cash, balance $20 monthly.
$4,250.
6-room brick,
$425 cash, balance $30 monthly.
$4,400.
6-room brick,
$440 cash, balance $30 monthly.
$4,550.
6-room and attic brick,
$455 cash, balance $30 monthly.
P. C. CAMPBELL,
7328 Montecello st.,
Twenty-first ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—Lately finished.
Colonial residence, center hall.
12 rooms; 2 rooms and bathrooms, large closets. Mostly finished in hard wood.
Located in the Shadyside district.
For information see W. A. Herron & Sons, 337-339 Fourth avenue.

FOR SALE.
New house, six rooms, laundry, cellar; arranged for three-room flat; two cabinet mantels, tile hearths, two heaters, two gas ranges, sliding doors between rooms, vestibule, rooms papered, gas, hot and cold water; large lot, elegant location, near park and traction lines. Rented for $22. The per cent on investment. Act quick. Investigate. Easy payments. Price only $2,100.
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Price reduced to $3,500; only $300 cash needed; elegant new frame of 6 rooms, attic, bath, halls all modern; with lot 40x150.
ALLEGHENY REALTY CO.,
North Diamond and Federal sts.

FOR SALE—A new modern frame, 9 roomed dwelling, hot water heater, beautiful situation, large corner lot. This property is situated on the new Fifth avenue electric railway. For terms apply to Herman Johnson, Parkside ave.

$4,500. SNAP. $4,500.
Two houses in city on 24x90; sold to close an estate; bargain to quick buyer.
D. V. MURDOCK & CO.,
Room 20, 339 Fifth ave.

East End Residences.

FOR SALE—$2,750; $70 down; $27.50 per month; lovely East End home; now or never; if you ever own a home this is surely your chance; this ad. means just what it says; a genuine, unconditional, above price; snap; quick sale offers a lovely modern home at exact price of $2,750 on terms of $50 down, $27.50 per month and $500 on delivery deed, but this offer good to persons absolutely well recommended; reasonable time allowed to get your cash together; the above property is a Queen Anne style of finished attic; situate on nice lot 26x100 feet; house has big 7-foot porch, rear porch, vestibule, hall with hardwood stairway, both grates, both gas and mantels, large pantry with sink and 2 cupboards, hardwood and tile mantels, brass gas burners, china closet, bay windows, nice, roomy kitchen with clothes panel and stairway; 3 large rooms second floor, besides hall and bath room, with bath, hot and cold water, stationary w. s., inside w. c.; there are 11 clothes presses in this house; every room light and airy; this property is in lovely location, close to city school and car lines and at advanced cost of building cannot this year be duplicated for $3,500; persons knowing they might be objected to should not apply; no agents; send your address to owner, with whom alone you deal, and who will direct you to property. Address Owner, P. O. box 252.

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If you want a modern up-to-date home in a first-class neighborhood, don't buy until you see that elegant gray brick, No. 308 South Negley avenue, with reception hall, hardwood finish, elegant plumbing, finely decorated throughout; lot 60x120.
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In East End, near 4 car lines, and having 6 rooms, bath room, finished attic, laundry, hot and cold water, cement cellars and walks, shade trees, porches, slate roof, gas for light and heat, chandeliers and gas fixtures; owner having city; will sell to good party on easy payments; about $500 cash, balance to suit.
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New center hall colonial houses on Bartlett st., Squirrel Hill; open for inspection every day; $500.
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Over one acre of ground, fronting on street, with a fine dwelling house; a non-resident; price reduced to $2,500.
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I have about 150 of the choicest lots in East McKeesport that I am going to close out this season. These lots are in the central part of the town; nearly all level, and are on the most prominent streets in the borough. The quick buyer will get the choice of location. I will sell every lot at last year's schedule price. A number of them are worth double that amount. Every purchaser of East McKeesport lots has made money, and the present season will witness the biggest boom in the history of the town. The United Traction Co. is building a viaduct across the P. R. R. at Wilmerding which will be completed by the first of next July, and will give a 5-cent fare from East McKeesport to Braddock. If you can spare a few dollars a month to pay on a lot, come and see me.

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Yester Building, McKeesport, Pa.

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A large colonial house, with about two acres, measuring 330x335 feet; parlor, dining room, library, reception hall and large conservatory on first floor; five bedrooms and bath on second floor; four bedrooms on third floor; linen closets, tiled bathrooms, etc.; price $35,000; elegant location and a fine property.
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TEN acres level, fertile land; will grow 80 bus. of corn an acre; located at junction of P. R. R. and P. & R. Ry.; close to stores, schools, churches, factories, hotels, etc., and handy and convenient to Atlantic City, Cape May, New York and Philadelphia, the best markets in the world for poultry, truck and berries; fine climate, pure water; price only $150; payable $6.50 monthly; office open Monday and Saturday evenings; if you are interested in these choice small lots call or write at once for illustrated booklet of No. 320 J.
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18" alligator shear with engine; capacity 4" square.
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6,000 pound Morgan double stand.
1,500 pound Sellers single stand.
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Both 'phones.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 2 to 125 H. P.; stationary and portable, upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers, and large lot of miscellaneous machinery; second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
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Shafting, hangers, pulleys and split pulleys, syphons, injectors, pipe and fittings, and specialties in iron and brass; boilers, engines, pumps, machinery and supplies. Agents for WARREN GAS ENGINES.
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TYPEWRITERS—A few salesmen's samples Pittsburgh Visible, also second-hand machines of other makes—bargains. We repair typewriters. Bindley Hardware Co., Seventh ave. and Grant st.

THE best imitation typewritten printed circulars in the city are done by H. C. Knapp, Printer, 3521 Butler st. Send for sample.

OUR printed typewriter circular-letters are the nearest to an original letter in the market. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st.

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WANT A PIANO?

There never was a time when a piano like this could be bought for the money.

An unusual opportunity to buy a fine upright piano at a price usually asked for only low-grade instruments. Without exaggeration this piano is equal to many sold from $300 to $350; handsome, full-length, handsome panel cases, seven and one-third octaves, full swing front, three pedals, rich tone and elastic action; famous New York make. Our price is now only $175, cost more than double. Examine this instrument and the truth and exactness of this advertisement will impress you. We have been selling pianos in Pittsburgh for 20 years, thus, in dealing here, our representations and guarantee insure perfect satisfaction. Don't fail to investigate this offer; among all pianos sold this side of New York it is the greatest bargain ever offered; terms of payment adjusted to suit purchaser.
J. M. HOFFMANN & CO.,
537 Smithfield street.

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PIANO—Family sacrifices cheap, renowned upright piano, cover, stool. Box 5, Allegheny.

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FIVE HUNDRED shopworn and second-hand sewing machines; must be sold at once regardless of price. White Sewing Machine Co., 122 Sixth st.

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Appropriate, attractive and business bringing ones made by the J. C. Byron Lamp Master, 634 Fifth ave. and 55 Tunnel st.; both 'phones.

FOR SALE—50 misfit carpets.
To be sold cheap.
Ingrain, Brussels and Velvets.
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WALL PAPER at cost; we have decided to close out our Pittsburgh store, hence we are selling the same at cost; some as low as 1c, 2c, 3c, 4c up. Iron City Wall Paper Co., 400 Seventh ave., Pittsburgh.

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LOST—Feathers Renovated.
Old ticks laundered.
Mattresses made to order.
Allegheny Carpet & Feather Renovating Co., 823 Pennsylvania ave.

LOST—Near Phipps conservatory, Schenley park, Sat., gold watch, monogram P. A. L., enameled fob. Reward if returned to New York Life Insurance Co., Bank of Commerce building.

CALL UP 933 North both 'phones.
Get prices on renovating
Feathers, mattresses and carpets.
All orders given prompt attention.

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LOST—Gentleman's green alligator skin purse, contains French coin, small change, and tickets on Pennsylvania lines; $10.00 reward. Return to 901 Penn ave.

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CLARK D. BIGGS, Attorney-at-Law, No. 508 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the court of common pleas No. 2, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at No. 208 July term, 1902, on Saturday, May 24, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., by John A. Woods, Robert S. Lighteap, J. Edward Chesley, David S. Kays, Henderson Douglas, under the the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called the Knoxville Christian church, the character and object of which is the public worship of Almighty God according to the faith, doctrine and usages of the body of people known as the Disciples, or Church of Christ, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. The above application is now on file in the prothonotary's office.
CLARK D. BIGGS, Solicitor.

THOMAS & MEALS, Attorneys-at-Law, 429 Diamond st., Pittsburgh. Take notice that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Thursday, May 28, 1902, by John M. Witherspoon, Andrew Thomas, Henry Berg, Hyatt M. Cribbs, Kaufman Stoner, Samuel M. Meals, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called the Knox Trust Company, the character and object of which is the insurance of owners of real estate, mortgagees and others interested in real estate from loss by reason of defective titles, liens and encumbrances, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. Thomas & Meals, Solicitors.

HENRY O. EVANS, Attorney-at-Law, Frick Building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania on Monday, May 26, 1902, by James L. Heath, Evans and Robert Hanley, under the act of assembly of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Heath-Hanley Company," the character and object of which is the manufacturing, buying, selling and otherwise dealing in all kinds of supplies for contractors, mills, mines, foundries, furnaces, railroads, steamboats, steamboats and other industries, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and its supplements. Henry O. Evans, Solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 26th day of May, 1902, by Truman S. Morgan, William H. Pratt and James R. Gaughen under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "Construction Journal Company," the character and object of which is the publication, circulation and sale of a weekly building trades paper devoted to construction interests and called the "Construction Journal," and in connection therewith the issuance and sale of a daily construction report service, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. W. H. Pratt, Solicitor for Applicants.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 13th day of May, 1902, by H. E. Wainwright, S. J. Wainwright, Jr., H. E. Wainwright, Jr., Uriah Tinker and H. I. Fisher under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Sterling Steel Foundry Company, the character and object of which is the manufacture of iron or steel, or both, or of any other metal, or of any and all kinds of metal castings of iron or steel or both, at the city of Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny, and for these purposes to have and enjoy all rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and the supplements thereto.
H. G. Tinker, solicitor for applicants.

H. M. DAVIDSON, Attorney-at-Law, Bakewell Law building, Pittsburgh, Pa. State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss. In the court of common pleas No. 2, No. 614 October term, 1901. David Laird vs. Elsie Laird. Libel in divorce a vinculo matrimonii. To Elsie Laird, respondent: The subpoena and alias subpoena in the above case having been returned non est inventus, you are hereby notified and required to appear in said court of common pleas No. 2, on the first Monday of July, A. D. 1902, to answer the petition and libel filed in said case. Wm. C. McKinley, Sheriff.

THOMSON & THOMSON, Attorneys-at-Law, Bakewell Law building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration, C. T. A., on the estate of Charles L. Stewart, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Alexander Stewart, Administrator C. T. A., Emsworth, Pa.

J. B. ORR, Attorney-at-Law, St. Nicholas building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of James B. Steen, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Jane B. Steen, administratrix, No. 271 Shady avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

W. O. M'NARY, Attorney-at-Law, No. 522 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Elizabeth G. McNary, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Rev. W. P. McNary, executor, Station D, P. O., Pittsburgh, Pa.

T. B. ALCORN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 434 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration C. T. A. on the estate of Joseph M. Wolf, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Martha C. Wolf, administratrix, C. T. A., No. 6383 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

DIAMOND & ZACHARIAS, Attorneys-at-Law, 423 Diamond street, Pittsburgh. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Katherine Greulich, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Rachel Leutz, executrix, 177 Thirty-eighth street, Pittsburgh.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Lawrence Brown, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Augusta Brown, executrix, 620 Laurel avenue, Pittsburgh.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Henry Gaw, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. John McC. Gaw, administrator, 1908 Rebecca st., Allegheny.

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UNIVERSITY MAN BOLDLY ATTACKS STEEL COMBINE

Charges It With Inflating One of Its Assets to Produce a Paper Surplus.

THE CRITIC CRITICISED

One Official Says a Practical Workman Familiar With Corporation's Affairs Knows More of Finances Than Does a College Professor.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, May 1.—The statement made by Prof. Meade of the University of Pennsylvania that the United States Steel Corporation is not solvent, although not bankrupt, and that if the history of the steel industry should repeat itself the corporation certainly would go into the hands of receivers, while attracting little serious attention in steel and iron circles, had a sentimental effect upon the stocks of the combine, which declined fractionally in today's market.

Prof. Meade said that an examination of the balance sheet of the company shows that its actual assets are $174,937,-153 less than its liabilities, although, according to the book value of the securities owned by the company, it has a surplus of $174,000,000. In other words, Prof. Meade asserts that the assets of the United States Steel Corporation are marked up a total of $349,000,000, so as to enable the company to show a surplus over its total liabilities.

The last balance sheet of the United States Steel Corporation shows assets valued as follows: Cost of property owned, $1,437,494,882; deferred charges to profit and loss, $3,256,774; investments, real estate, $429,613; inventories, $86,693,-597; securities owned, $7,251,329; accounts receivable, $45,269,453; bills receivable, $2,814,463; cash, $55,815,527; total, $1,647,-443,021.

One Item in Question.

No criticism can be made of any of these assets except the first, and that is the item which Prof. Meade claims is inflated. His statement virtually amounts to the criticism that the valuation of property owned is inflated to the extent of $349,000,000, and that the same amount of capital stock issued against it is represented by no corresponding assets.

That the capitalization of the United States Steel Corporation was increased to something like the amount stated is now generally recognized; but that the company is therefore insolvent will hardly be accepted by those acquainted with the methods of corporate finance. A large portion of the stock of the steel corporation, like that of most of the industrials organized during recent years, was issued against earning power and prospective economies, and not against the actual capital invested in the property. Roughly speaking, the bonded debt of the United States Steel Corporation was issued against the assets arising from actual capital invested, while the capital stock was issued against the earning power of the company's combine, cannot, therefore, be considered even technically insolvent if the assets—meaning the amount of capital actually invested—do not amount to the par value of its total capitalization outstanding.

Bond Issue as a Factor.

Prof. Meade is quoted as having said that the proposed bond issue will add $12,500,000 to the fixed charges of the corporation, bringing the total to about $43,000,000. If quoted accurately this is a miscalculation. The United States Steel Corporation has $304,000,000 of 5 per cent bonds, calling for $15,200,000 interest annually. The new bond issue will add $12,500,000 and make the total fixed charges $27,700,000. Even if the sinking fund of $1,010,000 on the new issue is added, it makes a total of only $28,710,000, or about one-fourth of the net earnings of the company on the basis of last year's receipts.

Prof. Meade's assault against the United States Steel Corporation was made in the form of a lecture before the students of the New York university. His statements are regarded by the United States Steel officials as mere opinions and without weight. They say the opinion of a workman familiar with all the branches of the iron and steel business would be regarded with more consideration than the opinion of a college professor unfamiliar with the affairs of the combine.

"If the United States Steel Corporation goes into the hands of a receiver, as Prof. Meade intimates," said a steel official today, "then every industrial in the country will follow it. When the Steel Corporation was organized it was predicted that the company could never earn dividends on the preferred stock and interest on the bonds, let alone dividends on the common stock. As is generally known, the corporation, during the first year of its existence, not only paid 4 per cent on the common stock, 7 per cent on the preferred stock and interest on its bonded debt, but accumulated a balance of nearly $25,000,000 as well. This was done after laying aside ample amounts for extinction of ore properties, deterioration of plants, establishing of sinking funds, etc."

Surplus of $60,000,000 Predicted.

"Although the production of the company last year was exceptionally large," continued the official, "the profits were not the result of excessive prices. We sold our iron on a very low basis, considering the briskness of the demand. The company now has orders on its books aggregating 7,000,000 tons, and indications are that the profits during the current year will exceed $130,000,000, or nearly $20,000,000 in excess of the preceding year. I judge that the company will have accumulated a balance at the end of the year of more than $60,000,000. Should we exact from our customers the extreme high prices that now prevail our earnings would exceed $150,000,000. In other words, we would earn double the amount required for dividends and interests.

"The Steel Corporation is a large company, and, naturally subject to attack. Few people can comprehend the extent of the company's operations. It must be remembered that the iron and steel business is the greatest industrial factor outside of grain and cotton, in the United States, and the United States Steel Corporation produces 75 per cent of the finished iron and steel.

"The sentiment that the Steel Corporation was the outgrowth of the threat on the part of Andrew Carnegie to build competing mills is utterly absurd. The fact of the matter is that the scheme to consolidate had been under way for many months before the report became current that Andrew Carnegie proposed the erection of rival concerns at Conneaut."

Still in the Pig Iron Market.

The report that the United States Steel Corporation intends to increase its pig iron capacity on an extensive scale is discussed in trade circles with a great deal of interest. An interesting point has been developed in connection, namely, that if the combine should so increase its own pig iron output as to enable it to withdraw from the open market merchant furnace companies that now depend largely upon the United States Steel Corporation as a purchaser of their product would be compelled either to get out of business altogether or to build steel plants in which to make use of their own pig iron.

It is not to be supposed that on being deprived of their principal customer the merchant furnacemen would go out of business. The alternative just suggested would be their more probable course. It is doubted, therefore, that the United States Steel Corporation, for the sake of making itself independent of the open pig iron market, would invite new and important competition in the field of finished forms. The combine's largest profits, of course, are in finished products.

The reports that have given rise to this discussion are unofficial, however, and it may be that the combine's intentions have been distorted in rumor. Officials themselves are reticent and refuse to make any comment further than to intimate that the United States Steel Corporation is likely for a long, long time to be a heavy purchaser of pig iron in the open market.

Rogers, Brown & Co. Review.

There is no essential change in the pig iron situation, Rogers, Brown & Co., in their weekly review, say:

The features commented upon in the past weeks continue in all the iron markets. Demand is in excess of supply, but supply is increasing and the more liberal inducements to cover indiscriminately a month ago, has passed away. There is, therefore, a quieter and more settled condition all around, but no weakness is reflected. A little output of very iron continues to turn up, partly through importations, and for this premium figures are readily paid. New furnace schemes, as are to have been mentioned, continue to engage attention. The latest calculation covering furnaces actually begun, or arranged for, beyond any question, makes a total of 2,750,000 tons, an annual capacity of fully 2,500,000 tons. It to this is added a 10 per cent increase in output of existing plants through the constant improvement that is the order of the day, it will be seen that all previous estimates of production are likely to be exceeded.

E. W. HARDEN.

Supplementary New York Stocks.

(By Gazette Private Wire from New York.)

Sales.	STOCKS.	High	Low.	Close.
	Am. Ag. Chemical	28½	27¾	27¾
100	Do preferred	94¼	93½	93½
1100	American Bicycle	7½	6¾	7½
200	Do preferred	23½	23	23½
1700	American G. Twine	56¾	56	56¼
3600	American Linseed Oil	27¾	26½	26½
100	Do preferred	57	57	57
100	American Malting	6½	6¼	6½
100	American Snuff pfd	97½	97½	97½
200	Am. Steel & Wire pfd	72	72	72
100	Brunswick	12½	12½	13½
600	Chicago Ter. Tran	21½	20¾	20¾
1400	Do preferred	39	38¾	38½
1500	District of America	8¾	8½	8½
800	Do preferred	41	40	40¾
200	Kanawha & Michigan	42½	42½	42½
3300	Va. Car Che	75¼	74	74¾
800	Do preferred	102¾	101½	102¾

New York Curb Stocks.

Henry Sproul & Co. furnish the following closing bids on active stocks traded in on the "curb," or outside the New York stock exchange:

American Can	14½	N. A. Gas 5s	111¾
Do preferred	56½	North. Securities	102¼
A. Hide & Leath.	9	N. Y. E. V. Trans.	13½
Do preferred	44½	Oils Elevator	3½
Am. Ele. R.	41½	Do preferred	15½
Bay State Gas	2½	P. B. & L. E.	36
Brit. Col. Copper	9	R. B. Powder pfd	105
Brooklyn Ferry	78	Seaboard Air L.	47
Brooklyn R. T.	68¾	Do preferred	85
Chicago Ter.	4	Standard Oil	635
Consol. Tobacco	69¾	Tenn. Copper	12¾
Electric Vehicle	9	U. S. Steel	42¾
General Carriage	5	Do preferred	97
Greene Cons. Cop.	23¾	Union Copper	3½
Havana Com. Co.	9	White Knob Copp.	23½
Do preferred	41	N. & W. Pocc bds	95
Internat. Salt	14		

Yesterday's Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $184,735,063; gold, $95,455,286; silver, $19,488,240; United States notes, $8,572,902; treasury notes of 1890, $89,427; national bank notes, $8,082,718; total receipts this day, $5,880,001; total receipts this month, $1,638,001; total receipts this year, $465,875,270; total expenditures this day, $1,000,000; total expenditures this month, $1,000,000; total expenditures this year, $400,224,998; deposits in national banks, $120,444,691.

Tamarack Report Accepted.

BOSTON, May 1.—The threatened expression of dissatisfaction with the annual report of the Calumet & Hecla Mining Company at the stockholders' meeting today did not develop. The following directors were elected: A. S. Bigelow, W. J. Ladd, J. S. Bigelow, Daniel M. Lamont, Augustus Grew, Alexander Henry Brooks and E. Parmel. Mr. Anthony succeeds Leonard Lewisohn, deceased.

Uncertainty Evident in Wall Street

FLURRY IN CALL MONEY MARKET WAS CONFUSING

Volume of Dealings in Wall Street Fell Off as a Consequence.

OTHER FACTORS EVIDENT

The Demonstration of Instability in International Power and a Number of Other Industrials Caused Closer Scrutiny of Collateral.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, May 1.—The volume of dealings fell off again in today's stock market and the movement of prices indicated much uncertainty and confusion of sentiment. The flurry in call money to 15 per cent would go far to explain the action of the market, but there were some supplementary causes which were confusing, and no doubt had something to do with the rise in the money rate.

The preparation for the May disbursements, which are unusually heavy this year was, of course, the primary cause of the constriction of the money supply. But such a demonstration of instability as that in International Power and a number of other industrials, whose affairs are more or less shrouded in mystery, yesterday and today, had the inevitable effect of inducing closer scrutiny of the character of collateral offered for loans. The May disbursements for dividends and interest are estimated at over $38,000,000, including the heavy payments for United States Steel dividends.

Operations in Currency.

The sub-treasury operations this week have taken from the banks over $2,500,000, largely due to deposits to retire bank circulation. There has been some demand from the interior, as shown by the drop in New York exchange at Chicago to a discount. It is not strange, therefore, in view of the limited surplus of the banks, that monthly requirements should have sent the money rate up to 10 per cent today. The government interest due today, however, amounts to about $500,000, and additional deposits of government funds to the extent of several million dollars are expected to be made by the secretary of the treasury.

The rise in the money market has had the effect also of easing the foreign exchange market, carrying it away from the gold export point. The International Power episode caused a decidedly feverish feeling among the obscure class of industrials. The higher grade stocks of this class were less affected although the United States Steel Securities showed some depression, partly due to some public discussion of a rather biting character of the financing of the corporation.

Strength in Spots.

Sugar, Amalgamated Copper and Peoples Gas were firm to strong. The grain carrying railroads started to advance on the overnight reports of showers in Kansas and the northwest, but the advance was checked by the failure of the grain market to reflect any benefit to the crops. There was large and concentrated buying of St. Paul, which seemed to be due to the advance in the dividend rate on Northern Pacific from a 4 per cent to a 5 per cent basis.

Another notable center of strength was in the Southern trunk lines which had no other explanation than the reports of very large north and south traffic. The movement affected Louisville & Nashville, Illinois Central, Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville, and, to a less extent, Southern Railway. The fixing of the May semi-annual dividend rate on Pennsylvania at 3 per cent induced large buying of that stock and helped the other trunk lines. For two years past the May dividend on Pennsylvania has been 2½ per cent, while in November there was a declaration of 2½ per cent regular and 1 per cent extra.

The rate of disbursement is unchanged therefore by today's rate, but the fact that it is called regular is accepted as a declaration of confidence in the future on the part of the directors. The undecided question of the anthracite miners' terms was a weight on that portion of the market. The closing was irregular.

The bond market was irregular in sympathy with stocks. Total sales, par value, $2,430,000.

United States new 4s declined ¼ per cent on the last call.

WALL STREET FEATURES.

Total sales 829,500 shares.

Instability in International Power caused an uneasy feeling in regard to industrials.

Flurry in call money to 15 per cent.

Large and concentrated buying of St. Paul

Heavy sales of Pennsylvania, due to fixing of semi-annual dividend at 3 per cent.

United States Steel common closed 41⅞.

United States Steel preferred closed 92½.

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s	109½	L. & N. uni. 4s	102⅞
Do 2s, coup	109½	Mexican Cent. 4s	84
Do 3s, reg	108½	Do 1st inc	30
Do 3s, coup	108¾	M. & St. L. 4s	104¾
Do new 4s, reg	137½	M. K. & T. 4s	101¼
Do new 4s, coup	137½	Do 2ds	83½
Do old 4s, reg	111¾	N. Y. Cent. 3½s	104
Do old 4s, coup	111¾	Do gen. 3½s	109
Do 5s, reg	105⅜	N. J. C. gen. 5s	140
Do 5s, coup	105⅜	North. Pac. 4s	103½
Atchison, gen. 4s	103¼	N. & W. con. 4s	101¼
Balt. & Ohio 4s	102¾	Reading gen. 4s	99⅞
Do 3½s	96⅞	St. L. & I. M. con. 5s	112½
Canada So. 2ds	109	St. L. & S. W. 1sts	98½
Cent. of Ga. 5s	110½	Do 2ds	85½
Do 1st inc	85	So. Pac. 4s	85½
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	108½	South. Pacific 4s	95⅝
C. & A. 3½s	84⅜	Southern Ry. 5s	122½
C. B. & Q new 4s	103¾	Tex. & Pac. 1sts	120½
C. M. & St. P. gen. 4s	130⅜	Do 2ds	70½
C. & N. con. 7s	134½	Union Pacific 4s	106
C. R. I. & P. 4s	112½	Do conv. 4s	107⅛
C. C. C. & St. L. gen. 4s	103½	Wabash 1sts	118½
Chicago Term. 4s	93	Do 2ds	110¾
Col. & South. 4s	96	Do Deb. B	17½
D. & R. G. 4s	104½	West Shore 4s	113½
Erie prior lien 4s	109¾	Wis. Cent. 50s	54¼
Do gen. 4s	88½	Wisconsin Cent. 4s	94¼
F. W. & D. C. 1sts	131½	Con. Tobacco	69⅝
Hock. Val. 4½s	111⅛		

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, MASS., May 1.—Stocks closed:

Atchison	80¼	Am. Tel. & Tel.	103
Boston & Albany	244	Am. Tobacco	108
Boston & Maine	200	N. E. Gas & Coke	3
Boston Elevated	165	United Fruit	197
N. Y., N. H. & H.	243	Daly, West	45
Fitchburg pfd	146	U. S. Steel	41⅝
Mexican Central	28	Do preferred	91⅝
American Sugar	127¼		

Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, MASS., May 1.—Electric stocks closed:

Mass. Electric	43¼	General Electric	226
Do preferred	92½	Westinghouse com.	111

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, 306 Fourth avenue, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
15100	A., T. & S. F	80¼	81	80	80¾
200	Do preferred	90	90	88½	88½
	Am. Cotton Oil	57	57	55½	56
	Do preferred				98½
18900	Am. Sugar Ref	127	127½	126	127⅝
10400	Am. Locomotive	34	34½	32⅝	33
2700	Do preferred	93	95⅝	94½	94½
2800	A. Car Foundry	31	31½	31	31½
200	Do preferred	90½	91	90½	90½
	American Can				14¾
	Do preferred				56½
5800	Amal. Copper	65⅝	66½	65¾	65¾
100	Am. Smelt. & Ref.	43⅝	44½	43⅝	44⅜
800	Do preferred	95½	96	95¼	95⅝
	American Ice	15¼	19½	18⅜	18⅜
	Do preferred	82¼	88	82	86
4200	Balt. & Ohio	103	109¼	107¾	108½
	Brooklyn R. T.	68¼	70	68	95
8500	Canadian Pacific	125¾	127¼	125⅝	126¼
11000	Chicago Gt. W.	28¼	28½	27⅝	27⅞
2000	Consolidated Gas	226½	226½	225	225
200	C., C., C. & St. L.	100½	100⅝	100¼	100
1100	Chic. & Ohio	47⅜	48	47¾	47⅝
400	Chicago & Alton	37½	37½	37½	37
100	Do preferred	70½	70¾	70½	70
	Chi., Ind. & L.	26¾	27	26¾	26¾
2900	Chicago & N'w.	267	270	265	265
32200	Colorado F. & I.	108	108⅝	105½	105⅞
1100	Colorado South.	31½	31½	31	31
100	Do 1st pfd	73½	73½	73½	73
100	Do 2d pfd	44¾	45½	44⅜	44½
	D., L. & W.				285
1300	Del. & Hudson	179¾	176¾	179¾	178½
7200	Erie	39⅛	39⅞	39	39
1200	Do 1st pfd	70	70¼	69⅝	69¾
	Do 2d pfd				54½
200	General Electric	327	327	327	325
57000	Illinois Central	153½	155⅝	153½	153⅝
200	Iowa Central	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	48¾
100	Do preferred	88	88	88	87
500	Internat. Paper	21¾	21¾	21¼	20⅜
400	Do preferred	74½	74½	74¼	74¼
1900	Internat. Power				
100	L. S. & M. S.	67⅛	67⅛	67⅛	67
	Do preferred				128
39600	Louis. & Nash	128	133⅜	128	133¼
7400	Manhattan	135	135⅜	135	135
16800	Missouri Pacific	101¾	101¾	100⅞	100⅞
1600	M., K. & T. pfd	57⅛	58⅜	57⅛	57⅛
1400	Metropolitan	152	152½	152	152
2900	Mexican Central	28¾	28¾	28¼	28¼
600	National Lead	20½	20⅝	19½	20
	Do preferred				88
300	National Biscuit	50	50	50	49¾
	Do preferred	107¾	108	107¾	107¾
15200	New York Cent.	160½	161⅜	160¼	160⅝
4200	N. Y., O. & W.	34½	34¾	34¼	34⅜
1800	Norfolk & West	58¼	58⅜	58⅛	58¼
100	Do preferred	83	83	83	83
	North American	130	130	129	129¼
19700	P. C. L. & C. Co	104⅜	106¾	104⅞	105
100	Pacific Mail	42½	42½	42½	42
2000	Peoples Gas	107¾	108	107¾	107⅞
2900	Pressed Steel Car	45⅝	45⅝	45¼	45¼
500	Do preferred	85	85½	85	85¼
111400	Pennsylvania Railroad	152	154⅜	152	153⅞
	P., C., C. & St. L.	89	92½	89	92
61500	Reading	67⅜	68¾	67⅛	67⅛
700	Do 1st pfd	88⅜	88⅜	88	88
4000	Do 2d pfd	72⅜	73	72⅛	72⅛
1400	Rock Island	179	179⅝	178½	178
1000	Republic Iron	19¾	19½	19	19
1000	Do preferred	73¾	73¾	74½	74½
700	St. L. & S. F.	68⅜	68⅜	67⅜	68
	Do 1st pfd				83¾
200	Do 2d pfd	74½	75½	74½	75½
10900	Southern Pacific	67	67⅜	66¾	67⅛
52500	Southern Railway	36⅝	37⅜	36⅝	37⅛
1400	Do preferred	96¼	96½	96	96
85200	St. Paul	174	175	173⅜	174
400	St. L. & S. W.	29¼	29¾	29	29
200	Do preferred	60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾
2300	Tenn. Coal & I.	70⅜	71¾	70	70
2900	Texas & Pacific	42⅝	43	42½	42½
200	Toledo, St. L. & W.	32½	32½	32½	32½
300	Do preferred	39¾	40	39¾	40
25700	U. S. Steel	42	42¼	41¾	41¾
15700	Do preferred	92⅜	92⅝	91⅞	92⅛
22300	Union Pacific	104¾	104¾	103½	103⅝
600	Do preferred	88	88¼	87⅝	87⅝
400	U. S. Rubber	17⅝	17⅝	17⅜	17¼
2000	U. S. Leather	13¾	13¾	13½	13½
1100	Do preferred	84½	85⅝	84¼	84¾
2400	Wabash	27¼	27⅝	26⅞	26⅝
3400	Do preferred	45⅜	46¼	45⅜	45⅞
1200	Western Union	92	92	91⅝	91⅞
1400	Wheel. & L. E.	23	23	22	22⅜
	Do 1st pfd	64½	65⅝	64½	64½
1600	Do 2d pfd	37	37¼	36½	36¾
2900	Wisconsin Central	27⅜	27⅝	26½	26⅝
100	Do preferred	49¾	49¾	49¾	49

Total sales, 829,500 shares. *Ex-dividend.

Philadelphia Stocks.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 1.—The closing Philadelphia stocks follows:

Penna. Railroad	77	Indianapolis	56
Phila. Trac	97⅛	Tidewater Steel	6
Leh. Val. Coal	43⅞	Cambria Steel	24½
Leh. Val. Nav. 4s	98⅝	Elec. Co. com.	4¾
Cons. Trac. N. J.	70	American Sys	46
Con. L. Superior	33⅜	Alkali	31
Storage	86	Asphalt	50
Do preferred	93	Phila. Co.	38⅝
Marsden	4¼	Lehigh Valley	71½
Phila. Electric	5¾	Superior pfd	10
United Gas Impt.	92⅞	Powder	
Welsbach	27		

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, MASS., May 1.—Stocks closed:

Atchison	80¼	Am. Tel. & Tel.	103
Boston & Albany	244	Am. Tobacco	108
Boston & Maine	200	N. E. Gas & Coke	3
Boston Elevated	165	United Fruit	197
N. Y., N. H. & H.	243	Daly, West	45
Fitchburg pfd	146	U. S. Steel	41⅝
Mexican Central	28	Do preferred	91⅝
American Sugar	127¼		

Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, MASS., May 1.—Electric stocks closed:

Mass. Electric	43¼	General Electric	226
Do preferred	92½	Westinghouse com.	111

NEWS FROM THE MINES

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 1.—Greater activity is reported at Republic, Wash., and a busier season is predicted as soon as railroad connections are completed. The Morning Glory is striping ore on the 235-foot level, where there are streaks of ore running as high as $500 to the ton. The Trade Dollar shaft is down 252 feet, and four feet from the bottom a stringer of quartz was found. The Gulp is ready to resume operations when transportation of ore is assured.

C. J. Frye has disposed of the Snow Bird, Hoodoo, Holy Moses and Hoosier claims in the Thunder mountain district, Idaho, to Pittsburgh capitalists. The terms of the sale have not been made known.

The mill of the I. L. X. at Pearl, Ida., is to be improved and put in condition to handle large quantities of ore, and operations are to be pushed in the mine.

The Silver Peak (Nev.) mines will not pass into the hands of the Lane syndicate, for the time being, at least. The deal has fallen through, for the reason that the New York owners would not entertain a proposition based upon time payments.

The miners' strike at Tonopah, Nev., has been declared off and work is proceeding as usual. There is still a surplus of labor in the camp.

Cripple Creek's output the last month is estimated at $2,600,000 gold. The new strikes on Mineral hill have given a great impetus to prospecting, and the coming summer will see that district a veritable hive of industrious miners.

In the Gregory at Victor, Col., 2½ feet of ore has been opened from the 300-foot level that assays $50 gold. Sylvanite in large flakes shows in the rock coming from the Gold Bond on Gold hill.

The Ore Dredge Company at Elizabethtown, N. M., has resumed operations. Its cleanings last year were more than satisfactory, and it is reported that the company will put in another plant the coming summer.

Development in the Chisholm, near White Pines, Nev., opened up ore pipe of unknown dimensions, from which several hundred tons of ore are now stored in the slopes and drift that assay $65 to $70 in gold. A station has been cut on the 75-foot level of the incline in Carisa shaft at Tintic, Utah, and everything is ready for stoping. The ore is a much better grade than on the level above, sampling about 25 per cent copper and about $12 in gold.

The Metal Market.

The exports of copper from the United States during April were 36,275 tons, thus making a total from January 1 to date of 165 tons against 28,987 tons the same period last year, a gain for this year of 36,778 tons. The local copper market was steady and quiet. Lake was quoted at 17¾@18c; electrolytic, 17.87½@17.62½c; casting, 17.87½@17.62½c. Standard was quoted at 17.00@17.50c for spot to August. London copper was 7s 6d higher, closing with spot and futures at £52 12s 6d. Tin was steady locally, with spot at $28.25@28.60. London in market was 12s 6d higher, but closed easy, with spot at £130 12s 6d and futures at £127. Lead here was steady at 4.40c, but London declined 1s 3d to £11 15s 0d. Spelter was steady and unchanged here at 5.42½ and at £19 2s 6d at London. The local iron market ruled steady and unchanged, with pig iron warrants nominal; No. 1 foundry, northern, $18.00@18.50; No. 2 foundry, northern, $18.00@18.50; No. 1 foundry, southern soft, $17.50@18.00. The foreign markets were also unchanged. Glasgow closed at 52s 8d and Middlesboro at 48s 4½d.

Boston Copper Mining Stocks.

A. E. Masten & Co., 208 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, furnish the following closing quotations of copper and mining stocks in Boston:

Adventure	22	Quincy	125
Amalgamated	85¾	Rhode Island	3¼
Arcadian	24⅝	Tamarack	170
Atlantic	28	Tamarack	171
Bingham	33¼	Utah	22
Calumet	850	U. S. Mining	29
Centennial	19	Victoria	3⅛
Elm River	3¼	Wolverine	84
Franklin	11	Allouez	6¾
Humboldt	35½	Bonanza	3
Michigan	10	Union Pref	10
Osceola	82½	Cal. & Arizona	50
Old Dominion	18	Black Diamond	
Old Colony	24	Range Cons	57½
Parrot	24½		

*Asked.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con	20	Little Chief	11
Allen	45	Ontario Chief	825
Breece	50	Ophir	185
Brunswick Con	12	Phoenix	06
Comstock Tunnel	04	Potosi	02
Con. Cal. & Va	185	Savage	12
Deadwood Terra	70	Sierra Nevada	28
Horn Silver	150	Small Hopes	20
Iron Silver	68	Standard	335
Leadville Con	05		

CARTER OIL CO. MAKES BEST [illegible]

New wells in the lower southwest fields yesterday were, as a rule, small affairs. In the Fish Creek district, Marshall county, W. Va., the South Penn Oil Company's No. 9 on the Nathan Shepherd farm is holding up at 300 barrels per hour, and is not only the best natural producer, but the largest in the district. Northeast of the Smithfield district, in Marion county, No. 3 on the W. N. Cunningham farm is holding up at 500 barrels a day.

On Laurel run, Murphy district, Ritchie county, the Register Oil Company has drilled its No. 2 on the H. S. Wilson farm into the Salt sand and has a show of oil in that formation. It will be drilled to the lower sands and if nothing better is found will be tested in the upper formations.

On the south fork of Hughes river the Cairo Oil Company has completed No. 8 on the Frederick Lemmon farm and has a show for a 5-barrel well. Three-fourths of a mile west of the No. 4 on the J. Dolan farm, located on a branch of McFarrian creek, the same company has drilled a test well on the Mahan farm through the salt sand and has a show for a small well.

In the same district the South Penn Oil Company has completed well No. 3 on the Mahan farm and has about the average Speechley sand producer.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields, up to and including April 30:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.	RUNS.
April 30	131,853 April 30
Previously	3,136,235 Previously
Total	3,268,088 Total
Daily average	108,936 Daily average

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.	RUNS.
April 30	19,122 April 30
Previously	1,210,083 Previously
Total	1,229,205 Total
Daily average	40,967 Daily average

The Oil Market.

The Standard Oil Company's price of $1.20 for barrels was unchanged yesterday.

The Producers and Refiners' also put the price at $1.20, certificates at $1.20.

OIL CITY, PA., May 1.—Certificates, $1.20; 582 barrels average, 168,702 barrels; shipments, 137,816 barrels; average, 81,311 barrels.

Small Home Sales Are on the Increase

BUILDING LOTS IN THE EAST END BRING $28,250

Park Land Company Buys 28 Lots in Belmar Place for Home Sites.

ATLANTIC AVENUE SALE

Vacant Frontage in Sheraden Is Sold for $11,000 — Purchases Made Through Orphans' Court—Two $10,000 Residences Planned.

The Beechwood Improvement Company, limited, has sold to the Park Land Company 28 lots in the Belmar place plan for $28,250. Ten of them face in Monticello street and 18 in Hermitage street. Each lot measures 25x93 feet, and all are vacant. The Park Land Company built a large number of houses in Belmar place last year, nearly all of which have been disposed of to good advantage. It is understood that plans are already prepared for 28 residences to be built on the frontage just bought. The houses will be 8 and 10-room bricks, finished in hardwood, and will cost from $5,000 to $7,000 each. The demand for homes in this place is evidence of its increasing popularity as a residence section and within a year what was two years ago a bare plot of pasture land promises to be one of the most attractive suburbs in the vicinity of Pittsburgh.

Twentieth Ward Home Bought.

Ralph Butler has purchased from Eleanor J. Evans a property in the east side of Atlantic avenue, Twentieth ward, for $11,500. The lot measures 40x131 feet, and is near the property of Charles Schafer and W. J. Prenter. The lot is improved with a 10-room brick house.

Through the E. G. Orr Company James McCavitt has bought from Mrs. Dora C. Orr a lot 225x185 feet at the corner of Homewood avenue and Bennett street, Twentieth ward, for $10,000. The residence on the lot is a three-story buff brick house.

J. J. Dowling has sold 25 lots in Sheraden borough, the consideration being $11,000. The property was purchased by G. Gordon Smith and R. M. Reynolds of the Gordon Smith Company. The lots have a frontage of from 25 to 50 feet in Charlotte avenue and Oakland place, and have an average depth of 100 feet. The frontage was bought for an investment, and no building is contemplated at present.

Sold Through Orphan's Court.

Two orphan's court sales were closed yesterday through the efforts of Attorneys L. B. D. Reese and Morton Hunter. A larger property, situated in the Lawrenceville district, consisted of a lot 25x[illegible] on the west side of Forty-third street, extending through to Forty-[illegible] street, Seventeenth ward. A six-[illegible] house and store room is at one end of the lot and two brick houses are at the other end. The property was a part of the estate of John G. Fox, and was bought by Charles W. Davidson for $5,000.

The other property, for which $3,515 was paid, is located at the southwest corner of Bowman alley, avenue and Ewa street, Twentieth ward. The lot measures 85x36 feet and adjoins the Henry Clark property. The improvements consist of a two-story brick house of 10 rooms. The property was bought by John and Frazier from the estate of Mary Rieland.

E. J. Carlisle & Co., architects, are receiving bids on a reception-hall brick house to be built for A. J. Boyle in Braddock. The house will be finished throughout in hardwood and will cost about $10,000.

Doctor Prepares to Build.

Another $10,000 residence and office is to be built in Hamilton avenue from plans in the hands of Architect J. A. Miller, who is now receiving bids on its construction. The owner is Dr. F. S. Van Kirk.

Allegheny: The Allegheny Real Estate Company sold for the heirs of Caroline G. Russell to John D. Oltman a brick house at No. 1325 Federal street, Allegheny, for $6,000. The purchaser will occupy it as a home.

Maple avenue: Joseph M. Dixon sold for Helen M. Whittle to Charles Zadiko a two-story frame house, 25x114 feet, at No. 96 Maple avenue

Stocks Were Dull and Without Snap, the Tone Being Irregular

TRADERS WERE FEW AND THE PRICES LOWER

Philadelphia Company Common Was Fairly Active on Alleged Pooling.

STEEL SHARES HEAVY

Window Glass Declined on Fairly Active Selling—Electrics and Airbrake Also Were Easier and Lower—Coalers Were Unchanged.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday was a listless, almost entirely uninteresting affair from beginning to end, though the volume of business, owing to two or three good sized orders, was quite large. The tone was dull and irregular, the closing being about the poorest of the day, and prices for the more active issues were generally at declines. The heaviest trading of the day was in Philadelphia Company common, the principal buyers being the same as those on Wednesday. These prices have intimate connections with Philadelphia issues and are supposed to represent large buyers. There was some gossip current without confirmation, to the effect that a pool had been formed in the stock and that the stock would be put up before long. All of which may be taken with a large grain of salt. 1,600 shares sold, the stock closing at 50 par. In the steel group there was but little doing. Crucible common was dull and fairly steady at 22¼@22⅝ for 400 shares, while the preferred lost ⅛ at 88½ for 30 shares. Over 650 United States Steel common sold at 42@41⅞, a loss of ⅛, while 25 preferred went at 92, a loss of ⅜ since the last sale several days ago. American Window Glass common sold nearly 1,300 shares, but was weak and ⅝ lower at 61⅜ at the close. Westinghouse Electrics were dull and weak, the firsts declining 1½ to 112⅝ on small sales and the second 1¼ to 111 on sales of less than 200 shares. Westinghouse Airbrake was also dull and heavy, declining ½ to 189, 20 shares having changed hands.

PITTSBURGH FEATURES.

Bank exchanges decreased $2,338,548 34.

Sales Pittsburgh stock exchange 8,496 shares and $45,009 bonds.

Mechanics National bank advanced $4 to $132, a new high record.

Union Trust Company was bid up $50 to $850, a new high record. $1,200 was asked.

Westinghouse Electric firsts closed at 112¾ and the seconds at 111. Both were declines of 1⅛.

Westinghouse Airbrake declined ½ to 189.

1,280 Window Glass sold. Closed 61¾.

Crucible Steel closed at 22⅜ and the preferred at 86½.

United States Steel closed at 41⅞ and the preferred at 92.

Fire Proofing common declined ⅞ to 36¼.

Philadelphia Company common was ⅛ higher at 50. 1,639 shares sold.

THE PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD.

SALES AND QUOTATIONS. THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1902.

The public sales in detail were:

10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.

10 Phila. Co. com... 49¾
25 Phila. Co. com... 50
100 Phila. Co. com... 50
100 N. F. Proof. com. 36⅞
100 N. F. Proof. com. 36⅝
20 Crucible Stl. com. 22⅝
120 Crucible Stl. com. 22⅝
10 Crucible Stl. com. 22⅝
40 Crucible Stl. com. 22⅝
13 West. Airbrake... 189½
100 Pgh. Coal com... 24
20 A. W. Glass com. 62⅛
50 A. W. Glass com. 62
100 A. W. Glass com. 62
100 Am. Sew. Mch. com. 36
50 Am. Sew. Mch. com. 36⅛
100 Am. Loco. pfd... 98
50 M. R. Coal pfd... 47
200 U. S. Steel com... 42

10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

100 M. R. Coal com... 15
50 American Trust... 126
26 M. R. Coal pfd... 47
30 M. R. Coal pfd... 46
7 Pgh. Airbrake... 189
100 Phila. Co. com... 49½
5 Monon. Inc.... 60
25 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90½
10 Pgh. Coal com... 24
10 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90
100 Phila. Co. com... 50
200 Phila. Co. com... 50
50 Phila. Co. com... 49½
100 Phila. Co. com... 49½
200 U. S. Steel com... 42
100 U. S. Steel com... 42

12:30 p. m. to 2 p. m.

50 U. S. Steel com... 42
50 U. S. Steel com... 41⅝
50 Pgh. Coal com... 24
10 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90
100 U. S. Steel com... 41⅝
50 Pgh. Coal com... 24
200 N. F. Proof com. 36½
25 Pen. Nat. Bank... 136¾
100 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90
50 Crucible Stl. com. 22⅝
150 Crucible Stl. com. 22¼
10 Crucible Stl. com. 22⅜
300 P. R. & L. E. Ry. 36⅜
500 P. R. & L. E. Ry. 36¾
100 A. W. Glass com. 62
10 A. W. Glass com. 62
50 A. W. Glass com. 62
75 A. W. Glass com. 62

2 p. m. to 3 p. m.

50 U. S. Steel com... 42
50 U. S. Steel com... 41⅝
50 Pgh. Coal com... 24
10 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90
50 U. S. Steel com... 41⅝
50 Pgh. Coal com... 24
100 Phila. Co. com... 50
10 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90
10 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90
100 Phila. Co. com... 50
200 Phila. Co. com... 50
100 Phila. Co. com... 49¾
50 Phila. Co. com... 50
100 Am. Loco. pfd... 98
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10 Crucible Stl. com. 22⅜
300 P. R. & L. E. Ry. 36⅜
500 P. R. & L. E. Ry. 36¾
100 A. W. Glass com. 62
10 A. W. Glass com. 62
50 A. W. Glass com. 62
75 A. W. Glass com. 62
50 U. S. Steel com... 42
50 Pgh. Coal com... 24
10 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90
100 Phila. Co. com... 50
200 Phila. Co. com... 50
50 Phila. Co. com... 49¾
100 Phila. Co. com... 50
300 Phila. Co. com... 50
100 Phila. Co. com... 50
100 Phila. Co. com... 50
100 A. W. Glass com. 62
20 A. W. Glass com. 62⅛
200 A. W. Glass com. 62⅝
200 A. W. Glass com. 62¾
50 N. F. Proof pfd.... 91
100 West. Elec. 24s.. 111
10 Peoples Trust.... 100
20 U. Realty Trust... 137
75 U. Realty Trust... 137
20 U. Realty Trust... 137
880 M. R. Coal com... 13
150 M. R. Coal com... 13
200 Pgh. Coal com.... 24⅝
$ 2,000 Clair F. Co.. 102⅛
30,000 F. McK. & C. 5s 104½
4,000 P. McK. & C. 5s 101
500 P. McK. & C. 5s 101
10,000 Phila. Co. 5s new 105⅝
10,000 Phila. Co. 5s new 105⅞
1,000 M. L. & P. 8s.... 111
2,000 Sch. Hill Coal 5s 102
1,000 Pgh. Brewing 6s 112½
$12,50 Phila. Co. scp. 42
67,50 Phila. Co. scp. 42⅛
200,00 Phila. Co. scp. 42
50,00 Phila. Co. 5s s. 108
60,00 Pgh. Coal scp. 24
*Ex-dividend.

The total public sales were 8,496 shares of stock, $45,000 bonds and $410 scrip; total preceding Thursday, 9,455 shares of stock, $51,000 bonds, 2,923 warrants and 295 receipts; total same day last year, 15,743 shares of stock.

Closing bids and offers were:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
STOCKS.			F. T. & T.	400	410	Do 2d ...	111½	Do pfd....	48	...
Pgh. Stks.			Pgh. Trust	...	740	Miscel.		Press. S. C.	...	46
Columbia ...	375	400	Union Tr..	850	1200	Am. W. G.	61⅝	61⅞	U. S. S. & S.	94½	95
Diamond ...	461	...	Equit. Trust	...	169	Do pfd....	94	94⅝	U. S. Glass	55⅝	...
Exchange ...	96	...	Ins. Co. Trust	277	...	Com. Co....	14	14⅝	West. A....	186	188
First Nat.	495	497	Am. Trust	123	125⅝	Do pfd....	35	38	N. F. Proof	36⅛	...
Fourth Nat.	156	...	Guarantee	...	142	Crucible S.	22½	22⅝	U. S. Steel.	41⅝	42
Lincoln ...	149	...	*Prudential	...	145	Do pfd....	86½	86⅞	Do pfd....	92	92½
Merchants ...	230	...	Alls. Bds			M. L. P. Coal	18	18¾			
Metropol. ...	161	165	Dr. S. F. & T.	250	...	Do pfd....	42½	45	BONDS.		
Penn. Nat.	135	140	Enterprise	...	120	P., R. & L. E.	36¼	36⅝			
Peoples Sav.	365	...	Mining.			Pgh. Brew.	20	...	Con. Gas 5s	112½	...
Second Nat.	...	780	Luc. Bit. Coal	...	12½	M. L. & P. 5s	110	111			
Third Nat.	262	...	Incines.			M. R. C. 6s	...	117½			
U. S. Nat.	...	150	Mt. Oliver	...	50	Do pfd....	50½	53⅜	Phila. Co. 5s	111	...
W. Pa. S. D.	106	...	Electric			Pgh. P. & S.	150	155			
Trust Cos.			West. Ist	...	114	Phila. Co....	49⅞	50¼	*Not recorded.		

River Coal common was fairly active but unchanged at 13 for 1,000 shares. Less than 100 preferred sold at 43. Pittsburgh Coal common sold 250 shares, the offering steady and unchanged at 24⅞. The preferred was dull and about steady at 90. National Fire Proofing was distinctly weak at the close, declining to 36¾, a loss of ⅞, on sales of 800 shares, while sales of 120 preferred caused a decline of ½ to 41. One thousand Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad common sold at 36⅜@36¼, a loss of ⅜, and 36¼ was bid for the same buyer for 1,000 more. Mechanics National bank advanced $4 to $132, a new high record. In the quotations Union Trust was bid up $750 to $850, a new high record, none offering under $1,200. Diamond National bank was also bid up from $396 to $401, a new high record. Bonds were firm and fairly active.

Financial Drift.

Colonial Trust was $386 bid.

There is bull talk on Panhandle.

South Side Trust offered at 114.

Hall bid 105¾ for Cosmopolitan National bank.

North American Savings Company offered at 92.

Peoples Trust of the South Side offered at 110.

Marlin offered 500 United States Steel common at 42.

May interest and dividend disbursements are estimated at $53,700,000.

Eleven different securities were traded in during the first half hour.

Diamond National bank advanced from 396 to 401 bid, the high point.

It is said Standard Oil interests are buying Illinois Central for investment.

Louisville & Nashville was bought on the rumor that the dividend will be increased.

The first sales of the day were in Philadelphia Company common at 49¾@50 for 100 shares.

Preston, Watt & Schoyer sold 50 Mechanics National bank to McFarlane at 132, an advance.

Twenty-five million dollars was to be paid yesterday as the first instalment on Pennsylvania railroad bonds. This, together with Northwestern Railroad Company will meet at Hamilton, O., to ratify the action of their directors in consolidating the two companies into the Cincinnati, Dayton & Toledo Traction Company, with a capital of $5,000,000.

It is announced that Harvey Fisk & Sons are to make a complete examination of the International Power Company's affairs, and will as soon as completed publish the results. One of the directors of the concern, who was credited with responsibility for the manipulation of the stock in the market, has resigned from the board.

There is further favorable talk about American Cotton Oil and the company is said to be earning this year at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on its stock. The stockholders' committee has also asked for authority to increase the price for the fourth stock to the limits of 60 for the common and 105 for the preferred set by the agreement.

In the late trading in Wall street call money ran up to 12 per cent, while offers ceased entirely alone in the general market, although they were slight. It is known that the banks have lost about $2,500,000 to the treasury and it looks as if they were trying to strengthen themselves. The prevalent idea, however, is that the present stringency will last only for a few days.

The increase of active speculation on the New York stock exchange has sent the price of seats soaring. The demand for seats has come from out of town firms, who have recently located there. A seat sold in March for $90,000, but the latest bid is reported to be $70,000. The record price for a seat is $95,000, which was reached just before Panic. Originally a stock exchange seat cost $400.

The stockholders of the Pittsburgh Coal Company voted in Jersey City Tuesday to issue $6,000,000 5 per cent bonds. The officers present and the number of votes cast: D. A. Hanna, W. P. Murray and F. M. Osborne of Cleveland; Upson A. Andrews of Youngstown and the Pittsburgh officers of the company, except President Robbins and President John D. Nicholson, the Pittsburghers returned from New York yesterday.

There have been rumors in Wall street for some time of a coming reorganization of Interborough. Buying in it is good and as a 6 per cent stock and on its record of earnings it is about the cheapest standard railroad on the list. It looks as if it would get a good deal higher on this movement. Formerly the dividend has always been 3 per cent regular and 1 per cent extra in November, but now the dividend is unannounced as 3 per cent semi-annual.—Evans.

International Air Power broke to 101 yesterday. The company was incorporated in 1898 in New Jersey. It is authorized to sell and deal in compressed air for motive machinery apparatus, locomotives, engines and other motive power. The company owns many patents, the two engine plants are the Westinghouse Company and the American Ordnance Company. The authorized capital is $8,000,000. The company was understood to be very prosperous and has been paying dividends at the rate of 16 per cent on preferred and 10 per cent on the common stock. Joseph H. Boadley is president of the concern. It was said yesterday that the affairs of the company are in a prosperous condition and he courts investigation of its standing. Joseph Leiter, Lewis Nixon and W. Seward Webb are directors.

Dividends.

The Northern Securities Company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent.

The First National Bank of Allegheny declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent.

Directors of the Diamond National bank declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 7 per cent.

The St. Louis & San Francisco railroad has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on the second preferred stock.

The directors of the Iron City National bank have declared a dividend of 4 per cent out of the profits of the last six months, payable on demand, free of tax. Checks will be mailed.

The board of directors of the Second National bank of Pittsburgh have declared a dividend of 4 per cent on the capital stock, out of the profits of the past three months, payable May 1, 1902. Checks will be mailed to stockholders.

The directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company declared a semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent. The dividend heretofore has been 2½ per cent semi-annually, but in November last an extra dividend of 1 per cent was declared, making 6 per cent for the year.

Railroad Earnings.

Net earnings of Chesapeake & Ohio for March increased $83,400.

Louisville & Nashville for March increased gross $108,132, and decreased net $70,797.

The gross earnings of Southern Railway for March increased $25,106, and the net earnings decreased $214,586.

Chicago Stocks.

CHICAGO, May 1.—Stocks fairly active. Close:

American Can...	14½	A. Booth Packing	35
Do preferred...	70½	Do preferred...	105
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New Potatoes More Plentiful and Cheaper

PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Lower Butter Quotations Increase Demand—Asparagus Declines.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

The market was devoid of features yesterday, trading being quiet and quotations unchanged. Reports from Kansas are that rumors of damage to wheat crop were exaggerated, and that the area planted in corn and oats and grass is greatly increased.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 11 cars hay, 10 cars oats, 1 car corn; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 10 cars oats; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 2 cars hay, 1 car oats; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 5 cars hay, 1 car hay and straw. Total receipts, 41 cars.

Following are the official quotations for hay, mill feed, corn, oats and straw, corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 00@7 50; wheat, $7 00@7 50; rye, $8 00@8 25.

Hay—Choice timothy, $15 25@15 50; No. 1 do, $14 75@15 00; No. 2 do, $13 00@14 00; No. 1 mixed, $13 00@13 50; No. 2 mixed, $10 75@11 25; prairie, $10 50@11 00; packing, $8 00@10 00; loose from wagon, $16 00@17 00.

Clover—No. 1 clover, $10 75@11 00; No. 1 mixed, $10 00@10 50; packing, $8 00@9 00; loose from wagon, $16 00@17 00.

Grain—Spot sales, 80@85c; extra No. 3, 43½@50c; regular, 48½@49c.

Mill feed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $21 00@22 00; brown, $20 00@20 50; bran, $20 00@20 50.

Groceries.

The only thing in the way of a feature in the grocery market yesterday was the strengthening of the tone of the flour situation, refiners now exporting at higher prices. Firmer wheat conditions have brought about a more confident feeling. Reports from primal markets in the east are of stronger conditions in both the raw sugar and refined, being influenced by crop reports from Brazil.

Flour—Jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents, $4 50@4 75; fancy winters, $4 10@4 15; straight winter, $3 90@3 85; bakers', spring, $3 60@3 60; rye, $2 45@3 60; graham, $3 60; cornmeal, bbl, $3 40@3 50; 10-lb cotton bags, 18¢@19c.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 84 8s; fine granulated, bbl, 106-lb and 25-lb jute bags, 5.05c; powdered, 4.95c; powdered xxxx, 5.00c; cubes, 5.10c; cutloaf, 5.45c; confectioners' A, 4.85c; C, 4.80c; 5-lb cartons, 5c extra; 2-lb cartons, 25c extra; 1-lb cartons, 50c extra.

No. 2 D. 4.20c; No. 3 do, 4.35c. (Quotations are for Pittsburgh and Allegheny wagon delivery. Add 6c per 100 lbs for rail shipments to points within a radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.)

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbl, $5 20; kegs, $2 75; packages, $2 00@2 25; oatmeal, bbls, $5 00; kegs, $3 00.

Molasses—Fancy refined, 50@32c; choice do, 29@29c; prime do, 22@25c; new open kettle, 37@40c; syrup, 30@32c; sugar and cane, 27@30c; syrup in 2½-lb tin cans, $1 05@3-lb, $1 25; 5-lb, $2 20; 10-lb, $4 00 per dozen.

Coffee—Roasted bulk, Rio, 10½@12c; Santos, 12½@22½c; Maracaibo, 17@17½c; Mexican, 17½c; Guatemala, 17@19½c; Java, 26@28c; Mocha, 25½c; standard brands, 1-lb pkgs, 10.80c (with rebate of ¾c to retailers); high grades, 1-lb pkgs, 14.30@16.30c.

Beans—Prime marrowfat, bu, $2 40@2 45; H. P. navy, $1 85@1 95; red kidney, $2 35@2 45; California lima, 6½@6¾c.

Peas—Dried peas, $1 10@1 75; Scotch, per bu, $1 80@1 85; split peas, bbl, $7 00, less, 3½c per lb.

Oil—Carbon, 110 deg, 9c; headlight, 175 deg, water white, 10c; Elaine, 13½c; Ohio W. W. test, 9½c; miners' Lewis, 51@52c; special brands, 26@45c; primo refined, 29c.

Rice—Extra, fancy head, 7¼@7¾c; fancy Japan, 5½c; choice Carolina, 6@6½c; prime Carolina, 4½@5¼c.

Salt—No. 1, $1 00 bbl; No. 1 extra, $1 10; dairy $1 30; granulated rock, 95c sack; pocket salt, $1 35@1 80.

Fish—Mackerel, mess mackerel, bbls, $22 00; half bbls, $12 00; quarter bbls, $6 12; 20-lb pails, $2 75; 10-lb pails, $1 50; No. 2 mackerel, new, bbls, $15 50; half bbls, $8 00; quarter bbls, $4 25; 20-lb pails, $3 00; 10-lb pails, $1 10; lake herring, 100 lbs, $3 35; 20-lb quarters, $1 30; 10 lbs, 48c.

Canned Goods.

Standard pie peaches, 80@85c; gallon pie peaches, $2 25@2 50; California L. C. peaches, $1 90@2 25; Maryland peaches, $1 25@1 75; California Y. P., $1 80@2 00; corn, fancy brands, 90@1 00; corn, 82½@85c; California cherries, white, $2 00@2 25; Duna beans, $1 20@1 40; soaked lima beans, 75c@80c; string beans, 65@85c; marrowfat peas, 95c@$1 10; early June peas, $1 00@1 20; soaked peas, 55@60c; New York apples, gal cans, $2 50@3 00; pineapples, $1 20@2 20; damson plums, $1 00; California plums, $1 00@1 40; raspberries, 85@$1 00; standard tomatoes, $1 37½@1 40; fancy do, $1 45@1 85; salmon, red 1-lb cans, $1 00@1 10; salmon, white cohoes, 1-lb cans, 65@85c; chicken, 1-lb cans, $2 40@2 75; corned beef, 1-lb cans, $1 35@2 25; mackerel, 2 and 3-lb cans, broiled, $1 75@2 00; sardines, domestic, ¼s, $2 25@3 50; mustard, ¼s, $2 75; French, $7 00@14 25; oysters, 1-lb full weight, 85@$1 25; 1-lb lunch, flat cans, $1 10.

Dried Fruits.

Evaporated apricots, in bags, 11@12c; 25-lb boxes, 13@15c; apples, in bulk, 10c; 1-lb cartons, 10@11c; peaches, 8@12c; raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs, 9@9½c; raisins, Muscatels, 2 and 4-crown, 5-lb boxes 6¾@7½c per lb; Ondaria Valencia, 8@8½c; California, Thompson's seedless, 5½@7½c; currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs, 7½@7¾c; California prunes, 3¼@8½c.

Fruits and Produce.

Receipts of potatoes are fairly good, but prices are kept up by high quotations asked at shipping points, where sellers are very stiff in their asklngs. New potatoes have commenced to arrive in much more freely, however, and prices are gradually getting lower. Bermuda onions are a little lower, and horseradish is cheaper. Spinach is firmer with decreased receipts. Home grown asparagus is more plentiful and longer.

Apples—Choice and fancy, $2 50@3 00; California, per box, $1 25@1 75.

Potatoes—Per bu, $1 15@1 20; carloads, fancy, $1 10@1 15; fancy, from store, $1 20@1 30; Bermudas, per bbl, $7 00@8 00; Florida from, per bbl, $6 50@7 00; new southern, $5 50@6 00; Jersey sweets, fancy crates, $1 75@2 00.

Carrots—Per doz bunches, 45@50c.

Cabbage—German seed, per ton, $40 00@50 00; per bbl, $2 50@3 00; new cabbage, per crate, $2 75@3 25.

Cucumbers—Hothouse, per doz, 50@60c.

Onions—Valencias, per crate, $4 00@4 25; Egyptian, $2 25@3 50 per bag; Bermuda, $2 25@2 50 per crate.

Horseradish—Per bbl, $3 75@4 00.

Watercress—Per doz, 25@30c.

Celery—Medium, 25@40c; large, 50@60c; Florida, per crate, $2 50@3 00.

Rutabagas—Per bbl, $1 50@1 90.

Cabbage—German seed, per ton, $40 00@50 00; per bbl, $2 50@3 00; new cabbage, per crate, $2 75@3 25.

Leeks—Per doz, 25@30c.

Cider—New sweet apple juice, bbls, $4 50@5 00; new sharp apple juice, bbl, $4 50@5 00; choice crabapple juice, $5 00@6 00; refined apple juice, gal, 12@15c; Duffy's 13-gal kegs, $3 00; 50-gal kegs, $7 00@8 25; pure grape juice, 25 gallon kegs, $3 per gal; per bbl, $7 50@8 00; keg, $3 50; per gal, 18@20c.

Beets—Bunch, 50@60c per doz.

Parsley—New southern, per doz, 35@40c.

Mushrooms—Per lb, 35@40c.

Radishes—Per doz, 15@25c.

Tomatoes—Florida, 5-basket carriers, fancy, $2 00@2 25; per bbl, $5@7 75.

Spinach—Per bu, 50@55c.

Green Onions—Per doz, 8@10c.

Lettuce—Home grown, per doz, 50@60c; hothouse, 40@50c per basket; per bbl, $2 00@3 00; endive, $3 50@4 00; Ashtabula, basket, 25@40c.

Florida—Per crate—Per box, $4 00@4 50.

Turnips—Washed, 50@75c; new bunches, per doz, 35@40c.

Garlic—Per lb, 7@8c.

String Beans—Green, $2 25@2 50; wax, $2 25@2 50.

Strawberries—Florida, per qt, 25@35c; Tennessee, 24-qt crate, $4 50@5 00; North Carolina, per qt, 10@12c.

Kohlrobi—Per doz bunches, 40@50c.

Honey—White comb, 15@16c; New York white clover, in 1-lb sections, 11@12c.

Maple syrup—Per gal, 85c@$1 00.

Mango peppers—Per crate, $2 00@2 50.

Cranberries—Per crate, $2 00@2 25.

Rhubarb—Per doz, 20@25c.

Kale—Per bbl, 75c@$1 00.

Asparagus—Green, per bunch, 15@25c; white, large bunch, 15@20c; home grown, 60c per doz.

Beans—Per bu, $2 00@2 25 per crate.

Squash—Florida, per box, $1 50@1 75.

Tropical Fruits and Nuts.

Lemons—California, $3 25@4 50; Messina, $3 25@4 00.

Pineapples—Florida, per crate, $4 00@4 50; per doz, $1 75@2 25.

Cocoanuts—Per bag, $2 75.

Oranges—California navel, $3 75@4 50; seedlings, $2 75@3 25.

Bananas—Firsts, $1 50@1 75; eights, $1 00@1 25; seconds, 75@$1 00.

Nuts—Almonds, 15c; filberts, 11c; English walnuts, 11@13c; pecans, 12@15c; Brazil nuts, 9c; mixed nuts, 11c; peanuts, jumbos, 7c; fancy hand picked, 5½c per lb; shellbarks, $1 50@2 00 per bu; walnuts, per bu, 60@65c; St. John's bread, per lb, 4c; California paper-shell almonds, 15c; Italian chestnuts, 8c.

Grapes—Malagas, per box, $5 00@5 50; California, $2 50@3 00.

Dates—Persian, 4c; Fard, 6@6½c per lb.

Figs—2-lb pack, 14c per lb.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

Thursday and Friday are the two best butter selling days of the week, and yesterday was really the first opportunity furnished for observing the effect upon trade of the recent decline. Buyers were inclined to take hold with some vigor, the demand showing improvement. Eggs continue to arrive in moderate quantities only, no one seeming to have more than enough, but prices are no stronger, quotations given closely reflecting the actual situation.

Butter—Elgin creamery prints, 26@26½c; do tubs, 24@24½c; Ohio and Pennsylvania creamery, 23@23½c; dairy butter, 20c; fresh country roll, 15@16c; solid butter, 15@16c.

Cheese—New York full cream, 13½c; new, 12½@13c; Ohio, 12½@13c; new, 12½@13c; cream, Ohio, 11½@12c; new, 11@11½c; Ohio Swiss, imported, 13½@14c; Wisconsin Swiss, tubs, 13½@16c; 20-lb block cheese, Swiss, 14@16½c; 5-lb brick cheese, 15@15½c; limburger, 13½@14c.

Eggs—Southern, fresh, per doz, 16½@17c; Ohio and Pennsylvania, 17@17½c; duck eggs, 18@25c; goose eggs, 20c.

Poultry.

Chickens—Live hens, per lb, 12@14c; spring-ers, 13@14c; roosters, 8@9c; ducks, 14@15c; do dressed, 20@22c; hens, dressed, 16@17c; fresh spring dressed, 16@17c; frozen spring broilers, $4 00@4 50 per doz; geese, 10@11c per lb; dressed, 12@13c; ducks, live, 12@13c; do dressed, 17@18c.

Seeds.

Clover—Prime, store, recleaned, 59-lb bu, small, $5 30@5 40; mammoth, 75 60@5 70; crimson, $4 75@5 00; white Dutch, $10 00@10 50; alsike, $10 00@10 50; alfalfa, $6 50@6 75; timothy, $1 30@1 40; orchard grass, $1 40@1 75; millet, $1 70@1 75; Hungarian grass, 90c@$1 10; lawn grass, 18@20c per lb; sapling, 75@$1 00; red top, $4 00@4 50 per bu, $1 50@1 75; red top, 14-lb bu, $1 10@2 00.

Provisions.

Smoked Meats—Hams, large, 18 lbs and up, 12½c; medium, over 14 to 18 lbs, 12½c; small, over 10 to 14 lbs, 13c; small, 10 lbs and under, 12¾c; skinned hams, 13½c; boneless bolled hams, 10½c; California hams, 9½c; shoulders, 9c; New York shoulders (skinned), 10c; breakfast bacon (fat), 10 lbs, 12½c; do 10 to 12 lbs, 12c; do back strips, 11½c; do bellies, 8 to 10 lbs, 12½c; do 10 to 12 lbs, 11½c; do back strips, 11½c.

Dry salt Meats—Sides (extra short clears), 10½c; bellies, over 20 to 25 lbs, 10½c; do from 16 to 20 lbs, 11c; do under 16 lbs, 11½c.

Dry salt Shoulders—Sides (extra short clears), 11½c; bellies, over 20 to 25 lbs, 11½c; do from 16 to 20 lbs, 11c; do under 16 lbs, 11½c.

Lard—Pure lard (tierces), 10c; compound (tierces), 8¾c.

The advance for smaller packages over tierces is as follows:

Barrels (about 200 lbs), ¾c; half barrels (about 100 lbs), ¾c; fancy tubs, 50 lbs, ⅛c; slaut hard wood tubs, 50 lbs, ⅛c; 50-lb jute boxes, ⅛c; 20-lb wooden buckets, ¼c; 20-lb pails, ¼c; 10-lb pails (1 or 2 in a case), ⅜c; 10-lb tin pails (6 in a case), ½c; 5-lb tin pails (12 in a case), ½c; 3-lb tin pails (20 in a case), ⅝c.

OVER $2,300,000 LESS.

Pittsburgh Bank Exchanges Start the Month of May With a Big Loss.

Pittsburgh bank exchanges for yesterday were more than $2,300,000 less than those for the same day last year, and about $400,000 less than those for the preceding Thursday. The total money market opened the month easy to firm and unchanged, the rate for call and time loans standing at 5@6 per cent. The official clearing house reports in detail for the days mentioned are as follows:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$5,752,132 80	$1,021,683 09
Previous Thursday	8,054,120 68	1,220,649 29
Last year	10,609,681 25	1,287,225 45

Yesterday's decrease, $2,301,987 88; decrease, $198,966 29.

Reports from other cities were:

NEW YORK, May 1.—Exchanges, $333,254,-913; balances, $13,454,508.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 1.—Clearings, $306,123,429; balances, $23,000,000. Foreign exchange, 10c discount.

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 1.—Clearings, $4,86 62 0; balances, $4,885,000. Sterling exchange, 10c discount.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 1.—Clearings, $22,572,578; balances, $2,883,914. Money, 4½ per cent.

BOSTON, Mass., May 1.—Clearings, $21,421,939; balances, $2,264,581.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 1.—Clearings, $1,100,804; balances, $585,418. Money, 5 per cent.

CINCINNATI, O., May 1.—Money, 4@6 per cent. New York exchange, par. Clearings, $3,242,300.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 1.—Clearings, $12,936,595; balances, $1,385,210. Money steady, 4½@6 per cent. New York exchange, 50c premium.

The Treasury and the Banks.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Especial interest in the reports of the San Francisco assay office today's official receipts show that the sub-treasury paid out yesterday $2,500,000. Total time paid since Friday, $40,281, against $9,088 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $2,546,-000. Payment by banks to government, $2,-756,000. Balance of the day's transactions, $210,000 paid by banks to government. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $2,595,000, against $1,242,000 paid by government to banks.

Lively Times in the Grain Pits

HEAVY EXPORTS MADE STRENGTH IN GRAIN MARKET

Influence Was Felt in All of the Coarse Cereals Yesterday.

COUNTRY SELLING SMALL

Information That the Leading May Bull Took All the 600,000 or 700,000 Bushel Deliveries for Cash Caused Some Excitement in Oats.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, May 1.—Heavy wheat exports bulled grains today in the face of good weather news and heavy deliveries on May options. Corn was inclined to slide off on favorable crop reports, but wheat helped it sympathetically. The close showed July wheat 1½@1¾c higher, July corn ¼c up and July oats 1c advanced. Provisions recovered from a weak position and closed 10c to 17½c higher.

Wheat ruled uniformly strong throughout the session. The news of rains in the northwest and the southwest and the lower cables induced some early selling, but when it was seen that May deliveries amounting to 2,000,000 bushels were readily taken up by shippers and carriers and that there was still a strong cash demand, prices began to advance steadily. Minneapolis was very strong on the fact that 1,600,000 bushels of May deliveries there went directly into the hands of millers. Prices there advanced 2c and imparted much strength to the Chicago market. Seaboard clearances were very heavy at 1,112,000 bushels, and gave an added stimulus.

Country Offerings Small.

Country offerings were still small and there was no selling pressure after the advance began. France took six more loads, making 11 loads this week. All these bullish factors taken into consideration with damage reports from Kansas and 300,000 bushels cash stuff sold were pushed July to 77¼c after an opening ¼c lower to unchanged at 75¾@75¾c. Some long lines were liquidated for profits, but the market stood the sales well. July closed strong 1¼@1⅝c up at 76¾@77c. Local receipts were 50 cars, none of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 206 cars, making a total for the three points of 253 cars, against 108 last week and 303 a year ago. Primary receipts were 284,000 bushels, against 342,000 a year ago.

Corn dragged most of the day under the depressing influence of lower cables and excellent crop reports. There was some inclination to sell, but wheat and oats strength supported the pit. Deliveries were about 1,000,000 and were taken in by the leading bull houses.

Corn Not Very Active.

Otherwise the big interests were not in the market. On the advance some buying resulted, but the close was only barely firm, ¼c up at 63½@63¾c. Receipts were 125 cars.

There was good action and some excitement in oats when it was learned that the leading May bull took all the 600,000 or 700,000 bushel deliveries for cash. There was a fair outside demand through the commission houses and prices advanced easily. The May situation is again worrying the shorts, inasmuch as they do not know how much stuff the leading bull holds or whether they will have to deliver. July closed strong, 1c up, at 37¼c. Receipts were 157 cars.

Provisions were supposed to have been manipulated again today by packers. The opening was depressed on the lower prices for hogs at the yards.

Shortage in Deliveries.

Deliveries, however, were very small, only 1,000 barrels of pork and nothing of lard or ribs. There was an early selling rush on the fear of a demoralized stock yards market as a result of the government's investigation of the packing interests. Offerings soon were scarce, packers bought heavily through brokers and prices jumped upwards. Many of the usual long lines have been sold out in the past few days. July pork sold early at $16 40 and closed 17½c up at $16 97½. July lard closed 10@12½c higher at $10 10 and July ribs 10c higher at $9 50.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat 50 cars, corn 205 cars, oats 210 cars, hogs 25,000 head.

The leading futures, corrected by John D. Armstrong & Co., members Chicago board of trade, 209 Sixth street, range as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest'r-day's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2					
May	74⅝	75⅞	74⅛	75⅝	74¼
July	75⅝	74⅛	75½	77	75⅜
Sept.	73	70½	72	75⅛	73⅛
CORN					
No. 2					
May	61⅞	62⅛	61⅝	62⅛	61⅜

GIFT TO A WIFE NOT ALLOWED BY ORPHANS' COURT

Mrs. Mary Gwynne Must Account for Money in Her Name.

JUDGE HAWKINS' OPINION

Administrator of Her Insane Son's Estate Asserted That W. A. Gwynne Was Mentally Incompetent to Give Away His Estate.

Judge Hawkins in orphans court yesterday handed down an opinion in the estate of W. A. Gwynne upon a question growing out of an attempt to surcharge the accountant, Mrs. Mary Gwynne, with the proceeds of certain real estate received by her previous to the death of Gwynne.

About a month before his death Gwynne sold his real estate for $10,000. He deposited this to his wife's account, and she claimed this as a gift. The claim was resisted on behalf of the administrator of a son of Gwynne, the boy having died insane. The contest was made mainly upon the ground that Gwynne was mentally incompetent to transact business.

The court declares that it must be conceded that, under the authorities, a man by gift may impoverish himself, but the rule presupposes business capacity.

As to Gwynne's condition, the court says that if, in the opinion of his wife, he was unfit to collect his rents he was unfit to make her a gift of the whole of his estate, and this verbal declaration to leave his wife everything was not evidence to support the gift. The court further says:

"It is a common thing in everyday experience for a wife to have possession and control of her husband's money and the husband the wife's. If, from such facts, we were to draw the conclusion that the custodian was the owner it would lead to unexpected results."

The court says in conclusion that it follows that the wife, as accountant, must be surcharged with the balance of the proceeds of the real estate in her hands. A decree in distribution in the estate shows a balance of $93 50.

Other decrees were as follows: Estate of Delilah McKenzie, $596 81; Conrad Bode, $342 28.

ASKS HEAVY DAMAGES.

Felix Matheys Charges Insurance Co. With Falsely Imprisoning His Wife and Son.

The case of Felix Matheys against the Allemanis Fire Insurance Company for damages for alleged false arrest and imprisonment is on trial in common pleas No. 2.

According to the plaintiff, he had a policy with the defendant company upon his home at McDonald. One Saturday the house caught fire twice and on the following Sunday night it burned down. Matheys was not present at the time.

The plaintiff also alleged that the company paid him $900 upon the policy, but a week after sent for him. He being unable to go, his wife visited the office of the insurance company.

Mrs. Matheys, it was alleged, was told when she visited the office that it had been discovered that the fire was of an incendiary origin and she was urged to accept $400, which she refused to do. It was alleged that the company had Matheys, his wife and a son arrested upon charges of conspiracy, that they were taken to the McDonald lock-up and to the county jail, where they were held for a time and finally released. The defense will be heard today.

MRS. SOFFEL LEADS LIST.

Case Against Her Will Be the First Tried in Criminal Court Next Week.

Next week's trial list for criminal court, now being prepared, is headed by Mrs. Catherine Soffel. Her case is the first on the list for Monday, and three counts are charged against her. They are two cases for felonious assault and battery and one for misdemeanor. It was reported at District Attorney Haymaker's office yesterday that Mrs. Soffel's condition is much improved.

Charged Husband With Bigamy.

The report of the commissioner in the divorce case of Mary Agnes Covert against Ambrose Covert was filed. They were married on June 15, 1889. Mrs. Covert alleges that her husband left her in December, 1900, while they were living at Homestead, and also that in February last she went to Mt. Pleasant with the sheriff to serve a summons on Covert and found that he had been married to another woman for eight or nine years. She says that her husband beat and abused her.

Today's Trial Lists.

Common Pleas Court No. 1.—McVittie vs. City of Pittsburgh; Mack, use, et al. vs. Logue, Keazer et al.; vs. Shirbel et al.; Renner et al. vs. Rolshouse; Walter & Co. vs. Thorn Oil Company; Menges vs. Herron et al.; Trimmel vs. Grieg; Haney vs. National Tube Company; Kiedaisch vs. Consolidated Traction Company; Watson vs. Monongahela River Railway Company.

Common Pleas Court No. 2.—Devroude vs. Allemannis Fire Insurance Company; Kelly vs. Pittsburgh and Birmingham Traction Company; Kennedy vs. Wilson.

Common Pleas Court No. 3.—Derlin vs. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company; Walker vs. Borough of Aspinwall (2); Krueger vs. Nicola; Brusso vs. Monongahela Street Railway Company; Fabian vs. Monongahela Street Railway Company; Huckstein vs. New York Life Insurance Company et al.; Stamatitis vs. East McKeesport Street Railway Company; Rorley vs. East McKeesport Street Railway Company; Aumick vs. W. H. Keech Company.

New Suits Filed.

New suits were filed as follows:

COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.

Joseph Rotz & Son—D. Gersky.....Appeal
Pittsburgh Oil Refining Company—W. N. Adams.....Assp
John W. Wylie—Alexander Kerr et al.....Judgt
The American Finance and Audit Company—William I. Johnston.....Sci. fa. mtge
John Dodd Mfg. Co.—Charles W. Huff.....Sci. fa. mtge
C. W. Wood & Co.—Charles W. Huff & Co.....Appeal
John Freyvogel—Frank H. McKinnie.....Tres
James Ynaisek—Frank H. McKinnie.....Tres
The National Bank for Savings of Allegheny, use—Christ. Detzel.....Sci. fa. mtge
The National Bank for Savings of Allegheny, use—D. H. McWilliams et ux.....Sci. fa. mtge
Conrad Dietrich—George N. Baird et al.....Sci. fa. mtge
C. K. Fisher—George W. Asheraft.....Appeal
John G. Lyon, use—James B. Lyon et al.....Sci. fa. mtge
John T. Terry Granny & Co., et al.—Thos. L. K. Porter et al.—Margaret Ward.....Sci. fa. rev
Hendon Carter Company—E. M. West.....Assp
COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.
William A. Kunpf—Borough of Carnegie.....Tres
Louise Eschman, use—Henry Kraus.....Sci. fa. rev
Nelson Morris & Co.—John Nonno.....Appeal
W. L. Richey & Co.—Mrs. Annie O'Malley et al.....Appeal
Henry C. Gearing—George W. Rodgers et al.....Assp
COMMON PLEAS NO. 3.
Louis W. Reilly—The Pullman Company.....Tres
Elizabeth Huff—S. W. Jeffries et al.....Assp
James Hunter, agent—Richard Thornton et ux.....Ex. att
George E. Worrall—German National Bank and L. association of Pittsburgh.....Assp
A. Booth & Co.—Open Front Poultry Company, limited.....Assp
Frederick Gardner—Mary B. Pogue.....Assp

LEGAL BRIEFS.

Judge Stowe granted a divorce to C. B. Nottingstad from Sarah M. Nutman.

The account of the executor of Simpson was filed. He charges himself with $63,363 23, and has a balance of $60,836 33 due the estate.

The account of the estate of Thomas L. Shields shows a balance of $42,157 32.

By his will Alexander McC. Strathern of Edgewood left a $1,500 estate to his wife.

The slander suit of Mary Finley against Regent Hartman is on trial in common pleas No. 3.

W. A. Kunpf sued the borough of Carnegie for $2,000 for injuries received by falling into a street excavation.

By the will of George B. Grimmer of Thorn Hill an estate worth $2,250 is left to his wife and children.

John Rimor of McKees Rocks left his money in bank in trust for his daughter and the residue of a $4,500 estate to his wife.

Mrs. Jane B. Steen took out letters of administration on the estate of James B. Steen. Attorney J. B. Orr represents the estate.

Precipes in the following damage suits without statements were filed: John Frey against E. and L. Sweitzer; James Yuneisk against Frank H. McKinnie.

Charles L. Stewart of Emsworth bequeathed his estate to his wife. Alexander Stewart took out letters and the estate is represented by Attorneys Thompson & Thompson.

A verdict for the defendant was returned in the case of G. F. Silas against Capt. John F. Klein for all-ged injuries in falling down a hatchway on the steamer Annie Roberts.

The jury awarded $6,804 to Vincent Herron, a minor, and $804 to his father, Hugh Herron, against the city of Pittsburgh. It was an action for damages to the son caused by a live electric wire.

The following petitions in bankruptcy were filed: W. McCann of Mercer township, Butler county, liabilities $4,670, and assets, $4,144; W. Thomas, Johnstown, liabilities, $17,261, and assets, $100.

In the United States district court yesterday the sale of the property in the case of John Eason, bankrupt, to Frank Cooley for $7,000, was confirmed and the trustee ordered to make a deed.

Attorney W. H. Pratt has asked for a charter for a new corporation called Construction Journal Company. It will publish a weekly building trades paper and issue a daily construction report service for builders.

Attorneys Thomas & Meals have applied for a charter for a new institution, the Oakmont Savings & Trust Company, capitalized at $100,000. This company will do everything permitted under the act relating to trust companies.

The will of George Curry of Sewickley was filed. To Mrs. Elizabeth Tussey, Mrs. Margaret J. Mitchell and Mrs. Mary Highsenger, daughters of the testator, is bequeathed $1 each, and the residue of a small estate goes to the widow.

The will of Elizabeth G. McNary of Wilkins township was filed and personal estate is worth $48,000. Each of the decedent's seven children is bequeathed $1,000, and the residue is left to the Rev. W. R. McNary, husband of the testatrix. Attorney W. O. McNary, a son, represents the estate.

An application for a charter for the Knoxville Christian church was filed in common pleas No. 2. The trustees are B. F. Armstrong, George Brooks, Sr., Edward Chesley, Sr., Richard E. Clifton and others. Attorney Clark D. Beggs represents the church, which has grown wonderfully since it organized a few years ago.

Executions were issued as follows: S. Rotstein vs. Jesse A. Coxey, $103; Frances E. Thompson vs. George L. French, $1,985; Vankirk Scott, use, vs. Samuel Crow et al., $740; Jacob Weiskercher, use, vs. Samuel Crow, $3,070; Washington National B. and L. association of Washington, D. C., vs. William D. Miles, $1,031.

On the appeal of the county commissioners from the award of viewers in the condemnation proceedings of the Robinson township turnpike, a jury returned a verdict in favor of the Chartiers and Robinson Turnpike Company for $40,600. This is a victory for the county, as the turnpike company fixed $65,000 as the value of the road. The viewers awarded them $50,000.

PITTSBURGH TO GRAND RAPIDS.

Through Car Line Will Be Established Next Monday via Ft. Wayne.

The Pennsylvania Company will establish a new sleeping car line between Pittsburgh and Grand Rapids next Monday via Ft. Wayne and the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, leaving Pittsburgh each week day morning on train No. 9 at 8 o'clock, city time, reaching Grand Rapids at 9:40 p. m. the same day. Returning the Pullman sleeping car will leave Grand Rapids at 6:40 p. m., arriving Pittsburgh next morning at 8:45 on train No. 24.

The service will be extended to Petoskey in June, giving Pittsburgh a convenient all-rail route to Northern Michigan resorts, which may be reached without changing cars.

Traction Parks Open Sunday

for the preliminary concert season. Kennywood—Homestead Library band and Mrs. McMillen, soprano. Calhoun—Second Brigade band and L. C. McLaughlin. Oakwood—Rocereto's Great Concert band and Harris quartet. Southern—On the suburban lines—Pittsburgh Philharmonic orchestra and popular Lone Star quartet. Free as usual.

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POSITION OF BUTCHERS

Retail Prices Have Advanced Only 20 Per Cent., While Wholesale Quotations Have Been Marked Up 33⅓ Per Cent.

Although there has been a big drop in prices of live stock at all stockyard centers the prices of dressed meats remain as high as ever. Reports show that the big live stock markets in the west are in a badly demoralized condition owing to the low bidding of the packers. There has been a drop of 30 cents a hundred in the price of cattle on the hoof within the last week. The managers of the western branch houses in the city promised early in the week that there would be a reduction in dressed meats following the drop in live stock, but they have been unable to keep their promises, as instructions from Chicago forbade a lowering of prices.

Dealers attribute the fall in the prices of live stock to the agitation against the beef trust. The Drovers Journal of Chicago sides with the packers, admits that the newspaper crusade is causing the prices to go down, and advises the stockmen to hold back their supplies in order to revive the market.

Retailers Make Denials.

Pittsburgh and Allegheny butchers are indignant over the statement that the retailers and not the wholesalers are getting the benefits of the advance in meat prices. Charles E. Eckert of the Diamond market says that while the wholesale price of beef has gone up 4 cents a pound since the first of the year retail prices have not gone up more than 2 to 5 cents a pound. Ordinarily an increase of 1 cent a pound means an advance of 2 to 2½ cents a pound in the retail price.

A retailer has to pay for meat in bulk when he buys a carcass. When he extracts the bone and fat he loses at least 200 pounds in a 1,000-pound bullock. The bone he can sell for 3 cents and the fat for 2¼ cents a pound. When he buys a bullock he must pay the market price, say 11 cents, for the bone and fat as well as the meat in the carcass.

Wholesalers admit that butchers have not raised their prices in proportion to the increase in wholesale prices. A local packer said yesterday that while the retail prices had not advanced more than 20 per cent in the last year, the wholesale prices had increased 33 1-3 per cent.

Evidence of a Combination.

Charles E. Eckert formerly managed a branch house for Armour & Co. at Steubenville, O. He said yesterday that there is no doubt that the western packers have a combination on prices and credits. He said: "A butcher making the rounds of the western branches in this city will find that the prices are the same at every place. Five or six years ago, when there was no combination, you might find a wholesaler who would quote prices half a cent or three-quarters of a cent lower than another house, but no such thing is done now.

"That there is an agreement on credits I learned from my own experience. Some time ago I bought a lot of dressed sheep from Swift & Co. for 8 cents a pound. When the bill reached me I was charged 8¼ cents. I asked for a correction. The collector took the bill and came back the next day stating that the manager refused to make the correction. I stood pat and refused to pay the extra half-cent. The result was that I was put on the 'C. O. D.' list and could not buy meat from any house in the combination thereafter unless I paid spot cash for it. I remained on the black list for three months."

Mr. Eckert said the fact that five or six South Side butchers had been forced out of business on account of high prices should be convincing evidence that the butchers are not benefited. One of these butchers has secured a job as driver on a delivery wagon for one of the trust houses.

Demand for Bread Is Increasing.

George S. Ward of the Ward-Mackey Company, manufacturers of bread and biscuit, said yesterday in discussing the beef question:

"The increased price of beef and other commodities has induced many to purchase more bread. We have heretofore been baking from 50,000 to 60,000 loaves each day; we are now compelled to increase this, and the demand is straining our capacity to the limit. There has been no increase in the price, and the quality and weight remain the same. While there may be a slight advance in the price of flour in the near future, it will not likely be sufficient to change the price of bread to the consumer, especially as we have provided against this for some months to come by making large contracts for flour."

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CRUSADE ON DOGS.

Campaign Against Unlicensed Canines Will Begin Next Week and Be Pushed Vigorously.

The Pittsburgh dog wagon will start out next Monday and all unlicensed dogs found on the streets will be taken and lodged in the dog pound, where they will be kept for 48 hours. If not reclaimed and properly licensed within that time the dogs will be asphyxiated.

Last year the first day the wagon started out 36 dogs of all colors and breeds fell victims to the experiness of "Jake" Wilbert, who is as handy in throwing the big net as a western plainsman with his lariat. The best record made by Wilbert in one day last year was 45 dogs. The average daily catch for the season was about 40 dogs.

Formerly the unclaimed dogs were drowned. Last September, however, in response to a suggestion made by the Western Pennsylvania Humane society, asphyxiation was adopted as a more humane method of disposing of the brutes, and this mode of execution will be followed this season. The dogs are put in a box looking like a huge refrigerator and the gas is then turned on.

All through the winter the Humane society kept a man stationed at the dog pound, and whenever a stray dog was received there he was kept the required 48 hours and then asphyxiated. During the summer the fall master visits the pound on Ruch's hill and takes the canine corpses to Becks run, where they are made into fertilizer.

Occasionally the dog catchers capture a licensed dog, and when they make this discovery they immediately let him go. If a person misses a dog during the summer he will do well to visit the pound within 48 hours after the disappearance of his pet.

AERONAUT WILL RETURN

Santos-Dumont Sails for Europe, but Will Give Exhibitions at Coney Island Later.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Alberto Santos-Dumont, the aeronaut, who came from France to discuss an exhibition and race of airships with the directorate of the St. Louis exposition, sailed for Europe today on La Savoie. He will go to London and will probably give some exhibitions during the coronation.

He said the airship in which he sailed around the Eiffel tower would be sent to America, to arrive about June 20, and that later he expected to give exhibitions at Brighton Beach.

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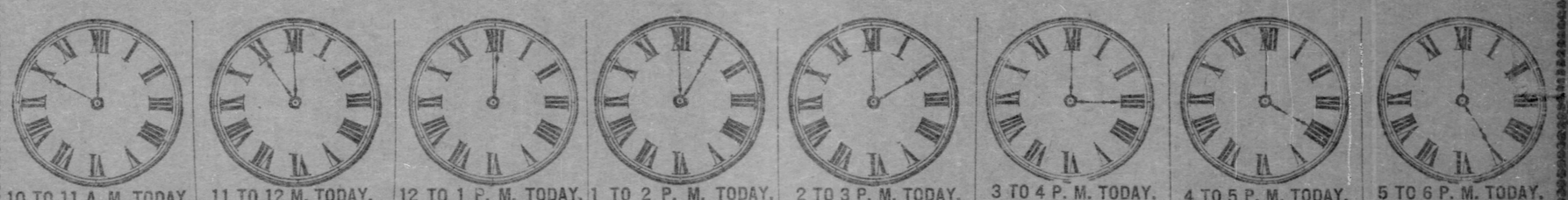
Fine quality Black Chiffon Veilings, with white Chenille dots—so stylish for Hat drapings—worth 25c and 35c—today at..... 10c yd

Special for All Day:
Boys' Suits
Boys' Fine All-Wool English Flannel Military Cut Single-Breasted Suits, Suits, with Belts and Belt Straps—Worth $5.00—today at..... $2.95



10 TO 11 A. M. TODAY.

25c Crystal Glassware, 10c
Pretty Crystal Glass Sugar Shakers, Oil Cruets, Butter Dishes, Sugar Bowls, etc.—worth up to 25c, at 10c each.

75c Sicilians, 39c yd.
Fine Sicilians and Mohair Brilliantines—so stylish for every-day Skirts, Traveling Suits and Bathing Suits—black and colors—worth 75c, at 39c yd.

Apron Ginghams, 3½c yd.
Good Apron Ginghams, Printed Lawns and Shirting Cambrics, at 3½c yd.

10c Jewelry, 2c
Odd lot of Men's and Women's Jewelry, such as Cuff Buttons, Scarf Pins, Belt Pins, etc.—worth 10c, at 2c.

25c New Golf Caps, 12c
Boys' and Children's new Golf Caps—in plain Blue, Black and assorted all-wool patterns—Italian serge lined—worth 25c, at 12c.

Alexander Dumas' Works, $1.48
8 vols.—fine Silk Cloth binding—gilt top—published to sell for $3, at $1.48 for set of 8 vols.

$2.50 Tapestry Portieres, $1.25
Manufacturer's samples of Single Tapestry Portieres—in Reds, Greens and Blues—50 in. wide and 3 yds. long—heavily fringed top and bottom—worth $5 pair, at $1.25 each.

15c Flowers, 5c Bunch
Odds and ends of Flowers, Roses, Daisies, Bluets and Foliage—worth 15c, at 5c bunch.

4-lb. Pkgs. "Gold Dust," 17c
Extra Strong Ammonia—full quart bottles, 10c. Large bottle of best Liquid Blue for 5c. Sal-Soda, Washing Soda, 10 lbs. for 10c.

$2.50 Worth Wall Paper, $1.19
10 bolts of artistic Wall Paper, 6 bolts of Ceiling and 3 bolts of 9-inch Blended Border—in rich reds, blues, greens and browns—worth $2.50, all for only $1.19.

25c Turn-Over Collars, 10c
Silk Embroidered Butchers' Linen Turn-Over Top Collars—worth 25c, at 10c. Chantilly Lace Bands—in white, cream, Ecru or black—worth 15c to 25c, at 10c yd.

Women's $2.50 to $3 Shoes, 95c
Odds and ends of Women's Shoes and Oxford Ties—in Kid and Patent Leather—sizes 2½ to 4—worth $2.50 to $3, at 95c.

75c Taffeta Silks, 49c yd.
Splendid 36-inch Black All-Silk Taffetas for dress and lining purposes—soft, lustrous finish—worth 75c, at 49c yd. Also odds and ends of plain Colored Silks, at 15c yd.

Boys' 81 Wash Suits, 33c
Boys' nice fly-front Wash Sailor Suits—in stripes and plain colors—also white, pique and fancy Duck Suits—sizes 2 to 10—worth $1, at 33c.

8c Tea Spoons, 4c
Solid Nickel Tea Spoons—strong and durable—worth 8c, at 4c each.

Women's 50c Waists, 19c
Lot of Women's slightly soiled Shirt Waists—in light or dark colors—made in popular new styles—worth 50c, at 19c.

Women's Sun Bonnets, 10c
Women's nice Gingham or Percale Sun Bonnets—in light or dark colors—at 10c.

Women's $4 Jackets, $1.95
Women's new Blouse or Fly-Front Jackets—made of Broadcloth, Cheviot, Venetian or Covert materials—in black or color—trimmed or plain effect—worth $4, at $1.95.

11 TO 12 M. TODAY.

Men's 25c Cuffs, 6c pair
Men's pure linen Linen latest shape Link Cuffs—round or square corners—worth 25c, at 6c.

75c Glass Tumblers, 25c dozen
Thin Blown Crystal Glass Table or Soda Water Tumblers—10 ounce size—worth 75c, at 25c dozen.

$2.00 Grenadine Remnants, 59c
Remnants of Black Silk Grenadines—in Satin and Taffeta Stripe and Bar Lace or Net effect—length 1 to 8 yds.—42 to 45 inches wide—worth $2.00, at 59c yd.

$4.00 Worth Wall Paper, $1.98
10 bolts of High Art or Gold Wall Paper, 6 bolts of Ceiling and 3 bolts of Blended 18-inch Border—in latest effects for Parlor, Hall, Library and Dining Room—worth $4.00, all for only $1.98.

50c Tapestry Squares, 15c
Gobelin and Oriental Tapestry Squares—one piece of Tapestry cushion covers—pretty designs—size 24x24 in.—worth up to 50c, at 15c each. Drapery Dept.

Wash Goods, 6¼c yd.
Madras Ginghams, Printed Dimities and Manchester White Lawns—at 6¼c yd.

Women's $3.75 Hats, $1.98
Women's Fancy Straw Braid Hats—hand made over wire frames—trimmed with Flowers, Foliage and Ornaments—also several styles of Shirt Waist Hats—slightly soiled—worth $3.75, at $1.98.

Fine Salmon, 10c Can
"Red Alaska" brand Salmon, 10c can or $1.10 dozen cans. Best "Red Alaska" brand Salmon—12c can, or $1.35 dozen cans. "Keystone" brand Salmon—½-lb. flat can 10c, or $1.10 doz. cans; 1-lb. flat can 17c, or $1.90 doz. cans. "Anchor" brand Lobster—1-lb can, 33c; ½-lb. can, 20c.

40c Ingrain Carpets, 25c yd.
Reversible Ingrain Carpets—assorted patterns in Reds, Greens and Blues—36 inches wide—worth 40c, at 25c yd.

Boys' $1.50 School Shoes, 98c
Boys' and Youths' Solid Rex Calf School Shoes—heavy double soles—worth $1.50, at 98c.

Brooch or Belt Pins, 5c
Brooch or Belt Pins—all pretty styles—at 5c (Notion Dept). Persian and Gold Mixed Ribbons—nice for trimming—⅝ in. wide—at 5c yd. Black Silk Jute Trimming—new box pleat styles—at 5c yd.

Infants' Wear, 5c
Babies' Caps, Bootees, Shoes, Bedjacks, Slips, Bibs, etc.—all slightly soiled—at 5c.

Boys' $3.00 All-Wool Suits, $1.65
Boys' All-Wool Single or Double Breasted and Norfolk Suits—all shades—sizes 4 to 16—worth $3.00, at $1.65.

Patent Leather Belts, 10c
No. 2 Satin and Gros Grain Ribbons—all silk—10 yd. bolt for 10c. Black Silk Shoe Laces for Low Shoes—10c pair. Bunch of Steel Beads—at 10c.

15c Rose Bushes, 7c
4 varieties of Rose Bushes—will bloom this summer—worth 15c, at 7c.

Women's Ribbed Vests, 2½c
Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests—low neck and sleeveless—crochet finish—at 2½c.

$1.00 Cedar Wash Tubs, 65c
Genuine Cedar Wash Tubs—good size—worth $1.00, at 65c.

Women's $5 Skirts, $3.98
Women's Rainy-Day, Walking or Dress Skirts—made of Covert Cloths, Cheviots, Broadcloths and Melton Cloths—flounced or stitched effect—medium, light or heavy weight—worth $5.00 and $6.00, at $3.98.

12 TO 1 P. M. TODAY.

Ribbon Remnants, 5c yd.
All Pure Silk Ribbon Remnants, including Fancy, Satin and Gros Grain Ribbons—1 to 3 inches wide—worth 15c to 25c, at 5c yd. Stein of Fleischer's Shetland Floss—5c.

Men's $2.00 Derbies, 88c
Men's latest Spring Derbies—new wide or wavy turned-up brims—also Alpine, Trooper, Panama or Porto Rico Soft Hats—worth $2.00, at 88c.

College and Stick Pins, 8c
Fine Hard Enamel College or heavy gold plated Stick Pins—usually sold for 20c, at 8c.

50c Fire Screens, 25c
Oak and Mahogany Fire Screens, filled with good quality Silkaline—the $1.00 kind, at 59c; the 50c kind at 25c.

Men's 35c Neckwear, 15c
Men's Black Silk, Blue Polka Dot, fancy Armure—Poplin, Derby, 4-in-Hand and String Ties—worth from 35c up to 50c, at only 15c.

$1.00 Fountain Pens, 59c
First class Fountain Pens—gold points—warranted to give entire satisfaction—worth $1.00, at 59c.

50c Jardinieres, 25c
Nicely Decorated Jardinieres—some slightly damaged—worth 50c and 75c, at 25c each.

$3.75 Worth Wall Paper, $1.69
10 bolts of Heavy Gold or Embossed Wall Paper, 6 bolts of Ceiling and 3 bolts of Blended Border—at $1.69.

Whole Codfish, 7c lb.
Boneless Codfish—1-lb. bricks. 10c. Shredded Codfish, 5c package. $2.00 quality Mackerel, 10-lb. kits, $1.25—25c Mackerel, 2 for 25c.

75c Table Tops, 45c
Table Tops—Mercerized Satin Damask—size 36x45 in.—worth 75c, at 45c each. (Linen Dept.)

Silk Lengths, ½ Price
Silk Lengths, including plain and Figured Silks and Satins—black and colors—¾ to 10 yd. lengths—at One Half Price.

$8.00 Bicycles, $5.50
Boys' and Girls' "Rumsey" Bicycles—also "Juvenile" Bicycles for Boys and Girls—worth $8.00, at $5.50. Women's Bicycles—worth $20.00, at $8.50. Women's "Day" Bicycles—worth $25.00, at $11.50.

Men's $2.00 Working Shoes $1.15
Men's Satin Calf Working Shoes—London Toe—Double Soles—all sizes—worth $2.00, at only $1.15.

Young Men's $5 Suits, $2.50
Young Men's All-Wool Fancy Cheviot Suits (Coat, Pants and Vest)—will fit small men and big boys—sizes 14 to 20—worth $5.00, at $2.50.

10c Fiber Lunch Boxes, 5c
Folding Fiber Lunch Boxes—worth 10c, at 5c.

Women's $10.00 Dresses, $5.00
Women's splendid Grass and Linen Lawn Wash Dresses—trimmed with lace insertings—slightly mussed—worth $10.00, at $5.00.

Sateen Petticoats, 47c
Odd lot of Sateen Petticoats—umbrella style—ruffled or accordeon pleated—at 47c.

Men's $1.50 Pants, 87c
Men's neat and well made Trousers—suitable for Spring wear—in Cheviot, Cassimere or Worsted—good, desirable patterns—worth $1.50, at 87c.

1 TO 2 P. M. TODAY.

Boys' $1 Pants, 37c
Boys' All-Wool Blue, Black or Mixed Cheviot Knee Pants—double cloth seat and knees—also Blue Serge Pants with patent waistbands—sizes 3 to 16—worth $1, at 37c.

$3.50 Skirt Lengths, $1.49
Skirt lengths of All-Wool Venetians, Hairline Stripes, Granites, Etamines, Homespuns, 54-inch Ladies' Cloths, Cheviots and Serges—3½ to 5 yds. in each piece—worth $3 to $3.50, the entire lengths at $1.49 each.

Macauley's History of England, 89c
5 vols.—fine Silk Cloth Binding—gilt top—published to sell for $2, at 89c per set of 5 vols.

12c Curtain Materials, 6c yd.
Dainty 36-inch White Curtain Swisses—also fancy striped and figured Scrims and Silkolines—floral and Oriental designs—worth 12c, at 6c yd. (Curtain Dept.)

Incandescent Gas Lamps, 19c
Incandescent Gas Gallery Lamps—complete with burner, mantel and globe—at 19c.

Women's $1 to $2.25 Dress Shapes, 67c
Women's fancy Dress Shapes—hand made over wire frames—made of chiffon, mull and fancy braids—in the most popular styles—some slightly soiled—worth $1 to $2.25, at 67c.

50c Miniature Pins, 10c
Women's Fancy Enameled Miniature Belt Pins with fancy gold beaded mountings—worth up to 50c, at 10c. (Jewelry Dept.)

60c Sewing Tables, 39c
Good Hardwood Sewing or Card Tables—strongly constructed—worth 60c, at 39c. (Basement.)

25c Straw Mattings, 10c yd.
Remnants of from 5 to 20 yds. of China and Japanese Mattings—fine and cotton warp—carpet patterns in fancy weaves—in reds, greens and blues—35c quality at 15c yd.; 25c quality at 10c yd.

Buck Linen Crash, 8 1-3c yd.
Buck Linen Crash for Porch Pillows—also plain colored Gingham and Chambray for ruffles, at 8 1-3c yd.

$8 Worth Wall Paper, $3.98
10 bolts of Fine Wall Paper, 6 bolts of Ceiling and 3 bolts of 18-inch Blended Border—the very latest Spring novelties in Embossed, Two-Toned, Silk, Damask or Tapestry effects—worth $8, all for only $3.98.

25c Dressing Combs, 3c
Lot of Solled Goodyear Rubber Celluloid and Aluminum Hair Dressing Combs—worth 15c to 25c, at 9c. (Drug Dept.)

Men's 75c Outing Shirts, 44c
Men's White or Colored Madras Outing Shirts—plain or pleated fronts—collars and cuffs attached or separate—worth 75c, at 44c.

25c Coffee, 12c lb.
A special grade of high-class Coffee—strength and flavor superior to any 25c quality shown elsewhere—here, at 12c pound.

Misses' $1.25 Shoes, 85c
Misses' and Children's Vici Kid and Box Calf Lace Shoes—heavy single soles—spring heels—worth $1.25, at 85c.

Children's Supporters, 10c
Children's Combination Waists and Hose Supporters—all sizes—at 10c. Clear White Pearl Buttons—card of 2 doz. for 10c. Odd lot of best Velveteen Binding—4-yd. bolt for 10c.

Girls' $2 Jackets, 95c
Girls' ¾ length or Reefer Jackets—in blue, brown or red—plain, braided or tailor stitched—sizes 4 to 14—worth $1.50 to $2, at 95c.

Children's Hats, 25c
Choice from a lot of Children's nice Hats—prettily trimmed with flowers—in colors—at 25c. (Infants' Dept.)

2 TO 3 P. M. TODAY.

Women's $2.50 Oxford Ties $1.50
Women's French Vici Kid Oxford Ties—Kid and Patent Leather Tips—Welt Soles—worth $2.50, at $1.50.

10c Bleached Muslin, 6¼c yd.
36-inch Bleached "Fruit of the Loom" Muslin—the regular 10c quality, at 6¼c yd.

Corded Jap. Silks, 33c yd.
Corded All Pure Washable Jap. Silks—single and cluster cord effects—in pinks, blues, tans, greens, etc.—fine quality—at 33c yd.

$3.00 Worth Wall Paper, $1.49
10 bolts of Artistic Wall Paper, 6 bolts of Ceiling and 3 bolts of Blended 18-inch Border—in deep rich Reds, Blues, Greens, Browns and light colorings—worth $3.00, all for only $1.49.

$7.90 Toilet Sets, $5.98
Richly Decorated Porcelain Toilet Sets with Slop Jars—fully worth $7.00, at $5.98 set.

$1.25 Brussels Carpets, 59c yd.
Remnants of Brussels, Wilton and Velvet and Axminster Carpets and Borders—lengths of 1½ to 20 yds.—worth up to $1.25, at 59c yd.

15c Writing Paper, 7c
Extra good quality Writing Paper—fashionable size—ruled or plain—24 sheets and 24 envelopes—worth 15c, at 7c.

Men's $1.00 Umbrellas, 49c
Men's English Mercerized Silk Umbrellas—steel rods—best Paragon frames—worth $1.00, at 49c.

Creamery Butter, 25c lb.
Best Pure Elgin "Sterling" brand Creamery Butter—1-lb Prints, at 25c. Fresh Eggs—10c dozen. Good Sweet Oranges—10c doz.

Boys' $6.00 All-Wool Suits $3.45
Boys' All-Wool Norfolk, Double Breasted, 3-piece and Russian Norfolk, Blouse and Sailor Suits—also fine Single Breasted Suits with Pants—sizes 2½ to 16—worth $6.00, at $3.00.

Remnants of Trimming, 25c yd.
Persian Bands, Applique Trimmings, Bead Guimps, Braid Trimmings, Skirt Ruffings—all kinds and all colors—worth from 50c to $1.25 yd., at 25c yard.

35c Golf Caps, 19c
Men's, Boys' and Children's latest Spring Golf Caps—in Checks, Stripes and Herring Bones—also plain Blues or Blacks—good silk lining—all sizes—worth 35c to 50c, at 19c.

Boys' $8.50 Sailor Suits, $4.90
"Regatta" make fine Serge Sailor Suits, with extra silk collars and shields—all shades—also Regulation Colored Serge Suits with 2 shields—sizes 2½ to 12—worth $8.50, at only $4.90.

Boys' Velocipedes, 98c
Good size Velocipedes or Iron Wagons—at 98c.

Batiste Corsets, 38c
Straight Front Batiste or Ventilating Corsets—perfect fitting—all sizes—at 38c.

$1.50 Curtain Stretchers, 85c
"Excelsior" Curtain Stretchers—full size—on easel—worth $1.50, at 85c.

Women's $15.00 Suits, $10.00
Women's Broadcloth, Cheviot or Homespuns—Material Suits—trimmed with Taffeta or Moire bands or fancy stitching—Jackets lined with Taffeta—black and colors—worth $14 and $15, at $10.00.

Women's Ribbed Vests 5c
Women's Bleached Swiss Ribbed Vests—low neck and sleeveless—short sleeves—tape rim—at 5c.

3 TO 4 P. M. TODAY.

Women's $8.00 Jackets, $5.00
Women's Peau de Soie, Taffeta Silk, Broadcloth or Covert Cloth Jackets—in collarless Eton, Blouse or fancy Eton effect—trimmed or plain—silk lined—worth $8.00, at $5.00.

$1.50 Bathroom Mats, 75c
Extra heavy and very durable Cork Bathroom Mats—18x27 inches—worth $1.50, at 75c each.

35c Cushions, 19c
Silk Floss Cushions—also Silkoline covered Cushions—dust proof—16 in. square—worth up to 35c, at 19c each. (Curtain Dept.)

Men's 50c Underwear, 21c
Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers—made of fine Maco yarn—in Ecru, blue and tan—the 50c quality for 21c.

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